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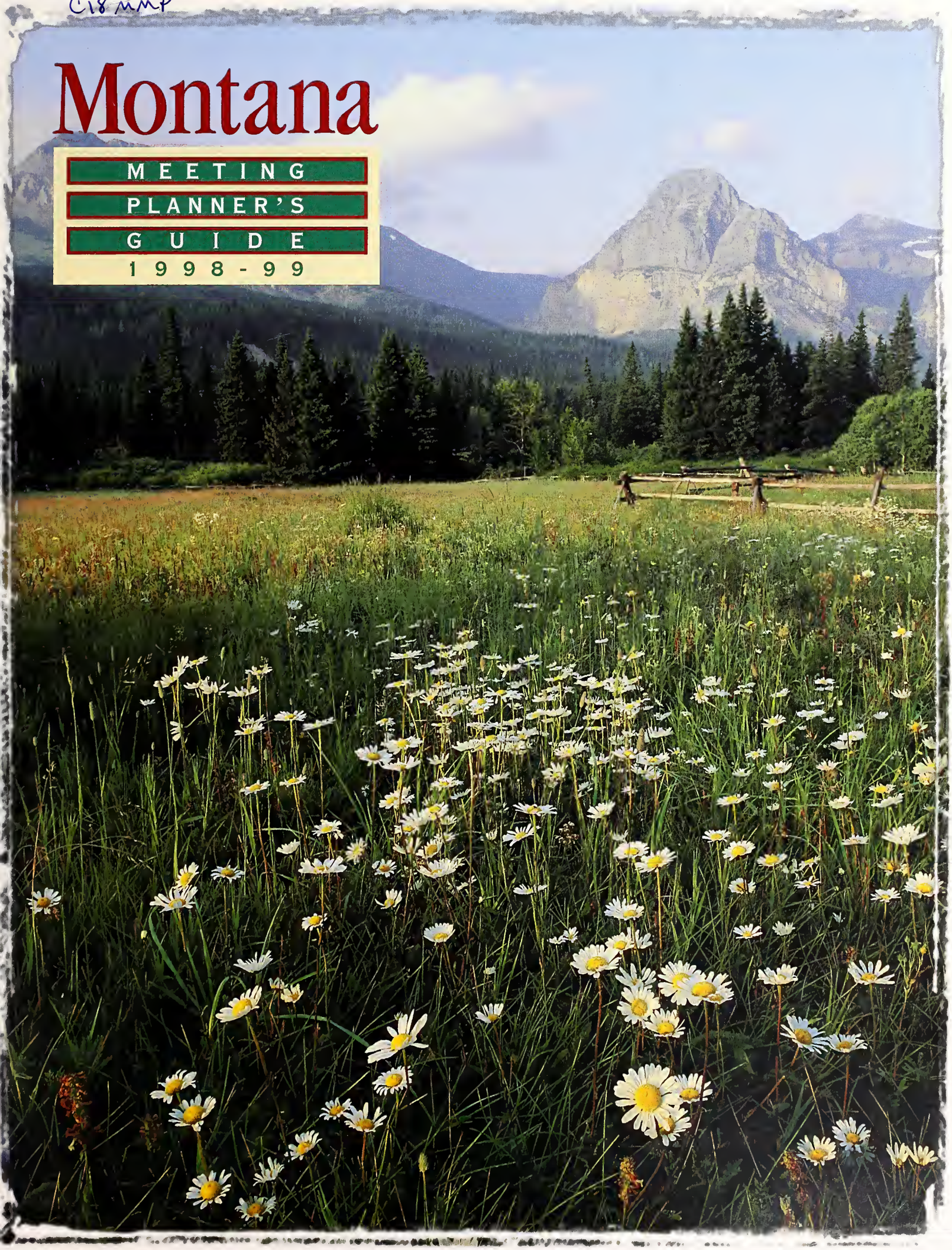

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It's more than a meeting if it's in Montana

Montana is a terrific getaway for pleasure and for business. We're a little farther than the usual convention sites. And that's what makes Montana so attractive. We are blessedly *off the beaten path*, and we're worth every extra mile. Montana boasts two of the world's most treasured attractions–Glacier and Yellowstone national parks. Between the parks are scenic open spaces, soaring Rocky Mountains, prairies, pristine rivers and lakes, modern cities, remote wilderness lodges and abundant watchable wildlife. The natural beauty and refreshing pace of Big Sky Country make for memorable, *highly productive meetings*. You can brainstorm a business plan, train your employees or showcase your product in comfortable surroundings. Our unique blend of lodging and meeting facilities and year-round opportunities for outdoor recreation has helped many organizations host their most successful meetings ever.

If it's in Montana, it's more than a meeting.

It's an unforgettable experience.

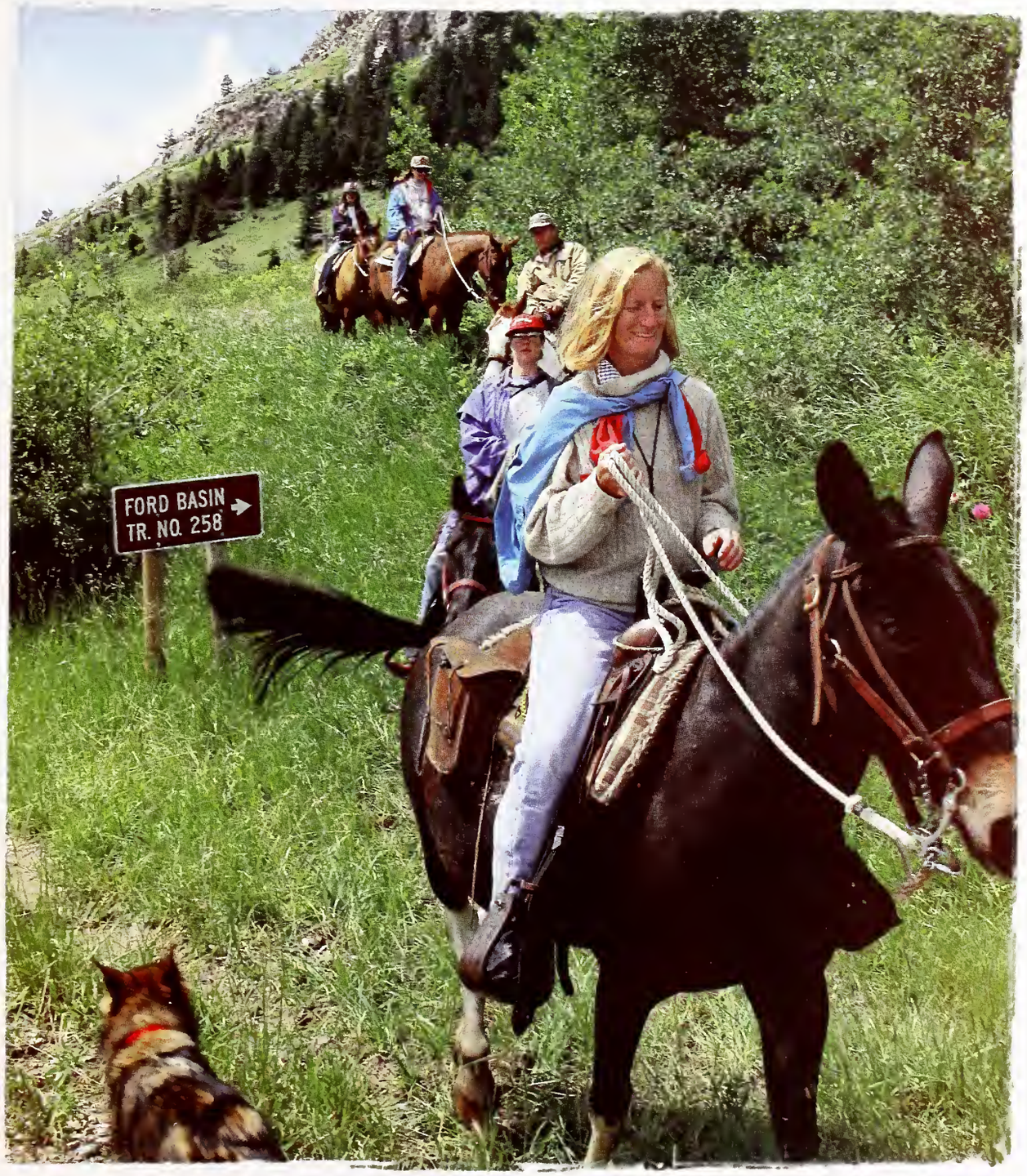
MONTANA

Opposite page: Silhouettes on tent wall by Michael Crummett; Left: Autumn in the Crazy Mountains by Larry Burton; Below: Cowboy and coffee by Michael Crummett; Masonic Temple at Bannack by Bob Allen; Mountain goats in Glacier National Park by Barbara Thomas; Old Faithful in Yellowstone National Park by Jeff & Alexa Henry

Make your next meeting an adventure!

Whitewater rafting on the Gallatin River by Paul Dix
Below: Getting to some spring skiing by Lonnie Ball

As travelers seek a deeper experience, Montana looks increasingly attractive to meeting and incentive planners. From skiing and whitewater rafting to fishing, biking and horseback riding, Montana offers convention and business travelers the value they desire. There are wildlife tours, guided ski and snowmobile trips, scenic lake cruises, bicycle tours, even cattle drives. These adventures are the extras that *spark creativity* and make your attendance soar. And all can be tailored to your group and your meeting schedule. Doesn't it make sense to make your *next meeting an adventure?*



On the trail by Donnie Sexton
Below: Skiing Bridger Bowl by Lonnie Ball; A great day fishing by Donnie Sexton

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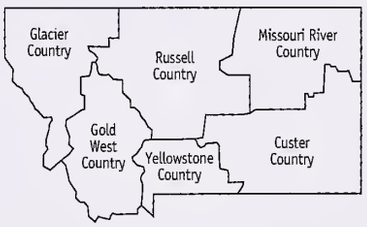

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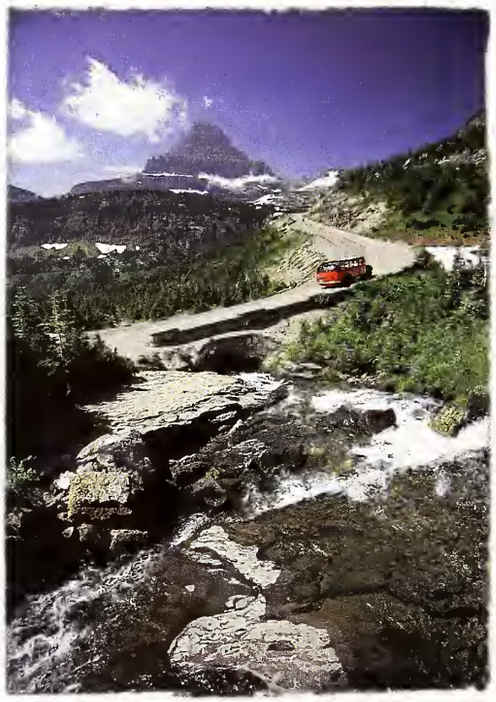
Above: Bighole Valley by Wayne Mumford
Below: Elegant dining by R. Valentine Atkinson; the Bison by Donald M. Jones; Getting ready for a day on the road by Greg Siple

Discover the joy of traveling in Montana

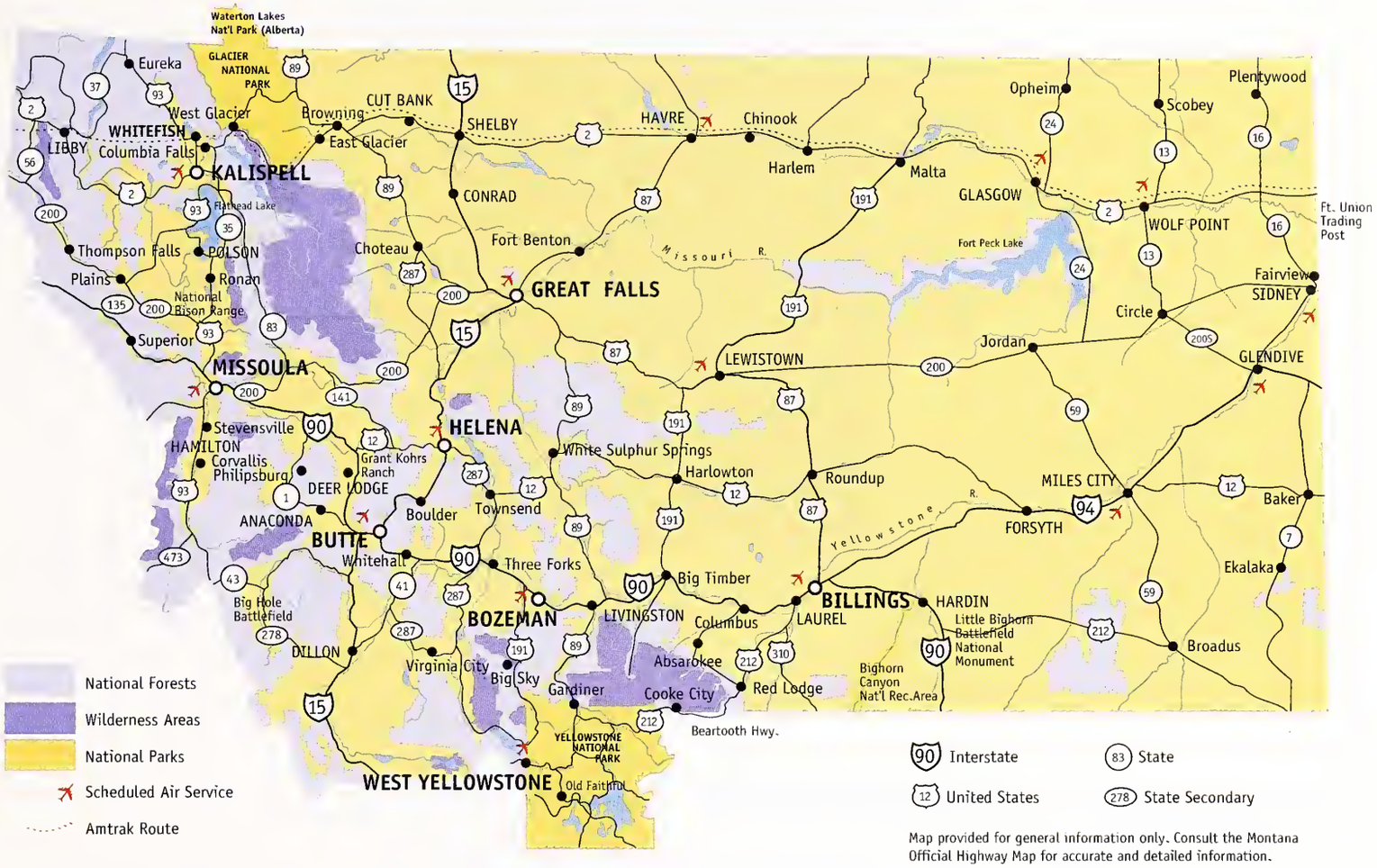


From your workplace to ours, you will find it's easy to get to Montana. And once you are here, traveling around Big Sky Country is sheer pleasure. Direct flights from all over the country and convenient connections make *getting here a breeze.* Most convention sites are within minutes of airports; others are a short, scenic drive away. Montana's uncrowded highways put the pleasure back in driving, so go ahead and rent a car. It's a great way to explore Montana. If your destination is northern Montana, consider a trip on Amtrak's Empire Builder and you will arrive at your meeting totally relaxed. Whether you drive, fly or take the train, you will *discover the pure joy* of traveling in Montana.

JOURNEY

Above: Jammer bus, Glacier National Park by Jeff Nelson; Left: South of Livingston by Donnie Sexton; Wrangling horses at sunrise by Jeff & Alexa Henry

Getting to (and around) Big Sky Country



Map provided for general information only. Consult the Montana Official Highway Map for accurate and detailed information.

AIRPORTS

AIRLINES	Billings 406-657-8495	Bozeman 406-388-6632	Butte 406-494-3771	Glasgow 406-228-4323	Glendive 406-687-3360	Great Falls 406-727-3404	Havre 406-265-4671	Helena 406-442-2821	Kalispell/Whitefish 406-257-5994	Lewistown 406-538-3264	Miles City 406-232-1021	Missoula 406-728-4381	Sidney 406-482-2415	West Yellowstone 406-646-7631* 406-444-2506**	Wolf Point 406-653-1740
Big Sky 800-237-7788	✈			✈	✈		✈			✈	✈		✈		✈
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Northwest 800-225-2525	✈	✈	✈			✈			✈			✈			
Sky West 800-453-9417	✈	✈	✈			✈		✈				✈		✈*	
United 800-241-6522	✈														

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** Winter only

RAIL TRAVEL — AMTRAK 800-872-7245

GLACIER COUNTRY

The land of shining mountains, shimmering lakes and sparkling streams. World-class golf courses. Historic mansions and professional summer theater. Community festivals and rip-roaring rodeos. Watchable wildlife. Glacier Country encompasses Montana's northwest corner. Here you can climb the Continental Divide in Glacier National Park, raft the beautiful Flathead River and drive through the scenic Bitterroot Valley. Meeting facilities range from secluded, executive retreats in pristine settings to full-scale convention services in attractive mountain communities. Want a sampling? Ride the chairlift and conduct a seminar in the upper lodge on The Big Mountain, with views of Glacier National Park. Charter a sailboat and have a picnic lunch meeting on Wild Horse Island in Flathead Lake. Play an early round of golf at one of the area's sixteen courses and present your business plan in the afternoon. Complete a planning session in a room overlooking the Clark Fork River, then grab your binoculars and hike into the Rattlesnake Wilderness. Glacier Country—perfect for work and play.

Piegan Peak, Glacier National Park DOUG DYE

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE KALISPELL & WHITEFISH VICINITY, PAGES 34-39; OR CALL 800-543-3105; MISSOULA & VICINITY, PAGES 40-43; OR CALL 800-338-5072.

GOLD WEST COUNTRY

The heart of the Rockies and the heart of the 1800s Gold Rush. Gold West Country blankets the southwest corner of Montana. Here, the Continental Divide traces a rugged path through national forests and wilderness areas, wild trout beckon anglers from around the world and a wealth of Gold Rush history comes alive in mansions, museums and restored ghost towns. Plan your convention here with plenty of free time for recreation and sightseeing. Charter a tour boat through the scenic Gates of the Mountains, then hold an outdoor meeting at the edge of a wilderness. Learn new skills during a day-long seminar, then soak under the stars in a natural hot springs pool. Ski fresh powder in the morning and present your business plan in the afternoon. Let a guest ranch entertain your family while you take care of business, then saddle up for an evening trail ride. Business facilities in Gold West Country include spacious convention halls, elegant meeting rooms and excellent support services. So come to Gold West Country. One way or another, you're sure to strike it rich.

Nevada City R. VALENTINE ATKINSON

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE BUTTE & VICINITY, PAGES 23-26; HELENA & VICINITY, PAGES 31-33; OR CALL 406-846-1943.

RUSSELL COUNTRY

Where snowcapped mountains meet the plains, where wild rivers course through limestone canyons and where rugged buttes tower against dramatic skies. Here in northcentral Montana, grizzly bears staunchly defended their fishing grounds when Lewis and Clark portaged the "great falls." Cattle barons made their fortunes. And Charlie Russell immortalized the country with his paintbrush. Great Falls provides the central location for convention facilities. Community amenities include the famous C. M. Russell Museum complex, and Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center. Take in some spectacular scenery on the five-mile River's Edge Trail along the Missouri River. Out of town, you can canoe a wild and scenic river or sample the region's finest fisheries. Guest ranches provide well-trained horses to take you into the back-country. Steamboat trade comes alive at Fort Benton's museums. Native Americans welcome you to colorful powwows. Experience central Montana wildlife and scenery aboard the Charlie Russell Chew Choo dinner train. Tour the underground at Havre Beneath the Streets. Winter convention activities include downhill skiing, snowmobiling and cross-country skiing. So bring your camera, your business suit and your blue jeans to Russell Country. You'll be glad you came.

Wildlife watching on the Missouri River DONNIE SEXTON

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE GREAT FALLS & VICINITY, PAGES 27-30; OR CALL 800-527-5348.

YELLOWSTONE COUNTRY

A region of natural abundance. Abundant wildlife. Abundant recreation. Abundant scenic beauty. Yellowstone Country borders Yellowstone National Park in southcentral Montana. Here you'll find boiling mud pots and snow-capped peaks, blue-ribbon trout streams and glittering ski slopes, a world-famous dinosaur museum and a spectacular valley called Paradise. Yellowstone Country is the perfect place to mix business with pleasure. Golf courses lie at the base of wilderness terrain. Tennis courts are cooled by light breezes off the peaks. You can conduct a workshop in the morning, then tour the geyser basins of Yellowstone in the afternoon. Or ride a gondola and organize small-group discussions in a field of wildflowers at the top of a mountain. Enjoy more of Yellowstone Country after the convention. Drive the Beartooth Highway, the most beautiful drive in America. Stroll through craft fairs. Enjoy a gourmet dinner. Relax at a guest ranch. Whoop it up at a rodeo. Yellowstone Country—it borders the incredible.

Fishing in Paradise Valley R. VALENTINE ATKINSON

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON CITIES SEE BOZEMAN & VICINITY, PAGES 18-22; WEST YELLOWSTONE & VICINITY, PAGES 44-46; OR CALL 800-736-5276.

MISSOURI RIVER COUNTRY

Where the West begins. Where fields of wheat ripple across the plains and rough-hewn badlands rise above a majestic river. Missouri River Country covers the northeast corner of Montana. Here is open space, room to breathe, and time to walk and talk. There are one-room schoolhouses and vast ranches measured in miles. Fort Peck Lake fills the Missouri River "breaks" and provides boating, fishing and more than 1,500 miles of scenic shoreline. Numerous wildlife refuges offer exceptional viewing opportunities. Residents here are friendly, hard-working and proud of their traditions. Numerous community museums preserve the life of early-day ranching and farming. Old-time steam threshers are fired up during Pioneer Days. Local fairs come complete with wild horse stampedes. Fort Peck Summer Theater carries on a long history of professional summer stock entertainment from musicals to melodramas. Missouri River Country—vast prairie, firm handshakes and the mighty river. It's all here for you.

Camping VICTOR BJORNBERG

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 406-653-1319.

CUSTER COUNTRY

A land of blazing sunsets, broad prairies and history forever in the making. Custer Country covers the vast south-east corner of Montana, where cattle ranches and Indian Reservations sprawl across the plains and where deer and elk forage in the mountains. Where four historical rivers—the Yellowstone, Big-horn, Musselshell and Tongue—supply recreation and commerce. And where Lieutenant Colonel George Armstrong Custer made his last stand against Sioux and Cheyenne warriors in 1876. Here you'll find scenic badlands, wildlife refuges, ranch recreation and cattle drives, historical museums, the Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument, golf courses, art centers and fishing. Billings, Montana's largest city, forms the economic hub for a three-state region. Plan a trade show and then watch the horse races or a rodeo. Lead a training session in the morning and cast for brown trout in the afternoon. Take a tour of the historical district of downtown Billings, its museums and art centers. Then, moderate a panel discussion at a fully catered banquet. Custer Country—a place of modern comfort and Old West charm.

Wagon train DONNIE SEXTON

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE BILLINGS & VICINITY, PAGES 11-17; OR CALL 800-346-1876 OR FAX 406-665-3068

BILLINGS

Looking for a meeting destination that will spark interest and creativity? Are you ready for a marketing partner that will help increase attendance and make your meeting successful? Then sign up for the adventure of a lifetime and let your delegates savor the sights, sounds and flavor of the Old West in Montana. The mystique and legends of this wide, open land, and the endless blue sky and *majestic beauty* will capture your soul forever. We invite you to share the sparkling rivers, pristine forests and open prairies of the place we call home—Billings, Montana. ★ Billings is a community of 120,000 located along the scenic Yellowstone River in southcentral Montana. It is nestled in the Yellowstone Valley framed by mountain ranges and towering sandstone rimrocks. Billings Logan International Airport is serviced by three major airlines, Delta, Northwest and United, offering direct flights on 737 jets through hubs in Minneapolis, Denver and Salt Lake City. ★ Billings features cozy bed & breakfasts, upscale historical properties, rustic guest ranches, four-star resorts and familiar names like Sheraton, Radisson Holiday Inn and Clarion. Whether you're planning a board meeting or a convention, Billings has over one third of a million square feet of meeting and convention space and more than 3,400 hotel rooms. ★ *Adventure awaits* after the meeting in a land of Western mystique. Visit the site of the infamous battle between the Plains Indians and Custer's 7th cavalry. Fish or float the Yellowstone River, explore the charming resort town of Red Lodge or watch a rodeo. Journey past Montana's highest peak on the Beartooth Highway that will also take you to the Northeast Entrance to Yellowstone National Park.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
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JOHN BREWER
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BILLINGS, MT 59107
800-711-2630 OR 406-245-4111

Upper left: Overview of Billings
PHIL BELL
Upper right: Crow Fair Participant
WILL BREWSTER
Bottom: Little Bighorn Battlefield
R. VALENTINE ATKINSON

BILLINGS & VICINITY

		SLEEPING ROOMS	MEETING ROOMS	TOTAL SQUARE FEET	CONVENTION CAPACITY	THEATRE STYLE	CLASSROOM STYLE	BANQUET CAPACITY	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	RESTAURANT	AUDIO/VISUAL	ROOM RATES	
BILLINGS 59101	**Clarion Hotel** 1223 Mullowney Lane 248-7151 or 800-537-7286 Fax: 248-2054	241	17	20,213	1500	1500	725	1400	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Complimentary shuttle to airport, pool and waterslides, hot tub, volleyball court, game room, laundry service & lounge. Let our staff take care of your needs in a friendly, Montana fashion.
	C'mon Inn 2020 Overland Avenue (59102) 655-1100 or 800-655-1170 Fax: 652-7672	80	2		70	70	70	70		★		★	✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Located off I-90, come relax in our tropical courtyard. Also included is our indoor pool, baby pool and five hot tubs. Enjoy a complimentary breakfast and modern exercise room.
	Dude Rancher Lodge 415 N. 29th Street 259-5561 or 800-221-3302 Fax: 259-5561	55	1	539	30	30	30	30		★	★	★	✓✓	Western atmosphere. In-tub whirlpools, plug-ins, free airport service, HBO, great coffee shop.
	Esquire Motor Inn 3314 First Avenue North 259-4551; Fax: 252-3970	51	1				20				★		✓	Restaurant, lounge and laundromat. Close to downtown.
	Holiday Inn Billings Plaza/Hotel & Trade Center 5500 Midland Road 248-7701; Fax: 248-8954	315	15	50,000	3000	5500	2400	4670	★	★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Near Yellowstone & Little Bighorn Battlefield. Complimentary airport service, exercise room, indoor pool, lounge, restaurant & spa.
	Quality Inn Homestead 2036 Overland Avenue (59102) 652-1320 or 800-221-2222 Fax: 652-1320	119	3	2773	125	125	80	125		★	★	★	✓✓	Complimentary cooked-to-order breakfast, evening snacks, heated pool & spa, free shuttle service, business services available, car rentals, health club & golf access.
	Sheraton Billings Hotel 27 N. 27th Street 252-7400 or 800-588-7666 Fax: 252-2401	282	15	16,100	1200	1900	1400	650		★	★	★	✓✓✓	Downtown convenience. Indoor pool, sauna & spa; 20th floor restaurant & lounge offers a view of the Montana mountain ranges. In-room coffee, complimentary shuttle.
GLASGOW 59230	**Cottonwood Inn** US Hwy 2 East P.O. Box 1240 228-8213 or 800-321-8213 Fax: 228-8248	92	5	2750	250	350	200	275		★	★	★	✓✓	Indoor pool, jacuzzi, sauna, lounge, courtesy van.
MILES CITY 59301	**Rodeway Inn & Olive Motel** 501 Main Street 232-2450 Fax: 232-5866	65	2	750	100	100	100	100		★	★	★	✓	Located in downtown Miles City within walking distance to Range Riders Museum, Bert Clark Gun Collection, Custer County Art Center, fishing, swimming, golfing, tennis and shopping.
RED LODGE 59068	**Best Western Lupine Inn** 702 S. Hauser P.O. Box 30 446-1321; Fax: 446-1465	48	1	1200	100	80	60	85	★	★		★	✓✓	Walking distance to downtown Red Lodge. Indoor pool & spa, indoor playground, fitness center. Group rates.
	Comfort Inn of Red Lodge 612 N. Broadway P.O. Box 1970 446-4669 or 888-733-4661 Fax: 446-4669	55	1	650	30	40	30	30				★	✓✓	King, queen and double/double rooms, family suite, remote cable TV, data ports, keyless security locks, nonsmoking rooms, handicap-accessible rooms, complimentary coffee, heated indoor pool, hot tub, continental breakfast.
	The Pollard 2 N. Broadway P.O. Box 650 446-0001 or 800-POLLARD Fax: 446-0002	39	4	2220	50	50	50	50	★	★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Built in 1893 & recently restored, The Pollard is well suited for small conference groups. Mountain views, hot tubs or balconies available, smoke-free, fine dining & extensive wine list. Health club & racquetball courts.
	Red Lodging 16 ½ N. Broadway P.O. Box 1477 446-1272 or 800-6-REDLODGE Fax: 446-2327 Email: 75165.143@comuserve.com Internet: cyberrentals.com/mt/burkmt.html		2	6000	150	150	100	100	★	★		★	✓ ✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Residential lodging in 30 fully furnished homes. Can sleep 200 people. Great value for those who want to share homes. Meeting facilities on Red Lodge Golf Course.
	Rock Creek Resort HC 49, Box 3500 446-1111 Fax: 446-3688 Email: RCResort@wtp.net	91	6	6234	555	555	236	358	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Two-hour drive to Yellowstone. 20 minutes to downhill skiing or 18-hole golf course. Suites with kitchenettes, fireplaces, jacuzzis and walk-out balconies. Athletic club, hot tub, sauna, indoor swimming pool, tennis courts.
	Super 8 Motel 1223 S. Broadway HC 49, Box 3375 446-2288 or 800-800-8000 Fax: 446-3162	50	1	752	60	60	40	40	★	★		★	✓ ✓✓ ✓✓✓	Located off US Hwy 212. Rooms with mountain views, indoor pool & spa. Take Beartooth Highway to Yellowstone. AAA approved.

Montana phone numbers use area code 406. ✓=under $40; ✓✓=$40-$60; ✓✓✓=$60-$80; ✓✓✓✓=more than $80.

CLARION HOTEL & CONVENTION CENTER

1223 Mullowney Ln., Billings, MT 59101 ☊ 406-248-7151 or 800-537-7286 Fax: 406-248-2054

241 SLEEPING ROOMS

1,400 BANQUET CAPACITY

1,500 CONVENTION CAPACITY

The Clarion Hotel & Convention Center in Billings, with 17 meeting and banquet rooms accommodating up to 1500 people, is a complete convention facility. The Clarion Hotel looks out to the Beartooth Mountains in the west, and the Rimrocks above Billings to the north. Guests will find an indoor heated pool, hot tub, two amusement style waterslides, outdoor courtyard with BBQ and volleyball court, game room, laundry and valet services and a lounge with nightly entertainment. The Grill Restaurant serves eye-opening breakfasts, tasty lunches and fulfilling dinners. The convention facilities are equipped to handle both small and large meetings.

The Clarion Hotel representatives are committed to running smooth, successful meetings and conventions. Let our staff take care of your needs in the friendly, traditional Montana style.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
North 40	34.5 x 19	50	28	40	40
Ranch	34.5 x 26	50	35	40	40
South 40	34.5 x 19	50	28	40	40
Rancher	34.5 x 66	250	125	175	175
Homesteader	34.5 x 66	250	125	175	175
Prospector	34.5 x 66	250	125	175	175
Scout	34.5 x 66	250	125	175	175
Trapper	34.5 x 66	250	125	175	175
All Combined	174 x 66	1500	725	1400	1400
Explorer	49 x 41	150	90	140	140
Centennial	24 x 42	60	45	50	60
8 Parlor Rooms	24 x 48	40	25	30	30

HOLIDAY INN BILLINGS PLAZA/HOTEL & TRADE CENTER

5500 Midland Rd., Billings, MT 59101 406-248-7701 Fax: 406-248-8954

315 SLEEPING ROOMS

4,670 BANQUET CAPACITY

3,000 CONVENTION CAPACITY

The Holiday Inn offers 50,000 square feet of space in 15 meeting rooms that accommodate groups from 10 to 2,500. We also feature a heated indoor pool, whirlpool, sauna and health club as well as Recipes Restaurant, Melody's Lounge & Casino with big screen televisions and a waterfall atrium lobby.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Missouri	86 x 60	600	300	400	600
Stillwater	28 x 60	140	75	120	150
Bitterroot	28 x 60	140	75	120	150
Gallatin	28 x 60	140	75	120	150
Total Combined	170 x 60	1020	525	760	1250
Bighorn	22 x 40	100	40	80	125
Yellowstone	20 x 40	80	32	60	100
Lewis & Clark	16 x 40	60	24	40	100
Total Combined	58 x 40	240	96	180	150
Spruce (Atrium)	14 x 30	30	12	20	20
Aspen (Atrium)	24 x 30	50	30	48	50
Cottonwood (Atrium)	24 x 30	50	30	48	50
Ponderosa (Atrium)	Executive Board Room			20	30
Atrium Lobby	40 x 80			176	120
Poolside Terrace	48 x 60	180	63	152	200
Montana	29 x 30			25	35

TRADE CENTER MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
1 Ralston	99 x 98	1100	500	700	1000
2 Russell	100 x 98	1000	480	600	900
3 Rains	99 x 98	1100	500	700	1000
Total Combined	298 x 98	3200	1500	2000	3200
Bronze	12 x 20	15	8	10	20
Silver	12 x 20	15	8	10	20

TOTAL TRADE BOOTHS: 8 x 10—170 Booths 10 x 10—155 Booths

SHERATON BILLINGS HOTEL

27 N. 27th St., Billings, MT 59101 406-252-7400 or 800-588-ROOM (7666) Fax: 406-252-2401

282 SLEEPING ROOMS

650 BANQUET CAPACITY

1,200 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Executive Travelers Club

Lucky Diamond Restaurant

Located in the center of downtown Billings is the Sheraton Billings Hotel, the discriminating choice for your workshops, seminars, training sessions and conventions.

On the 23rd floor, the beautiful Skytop Room offers our customers an impressive and panoramic view of five Montana/Wyoming mountain ranges, including those surrounding fabulous Yellowstone National Park.

Other advantages enjoyed by our Sheraton guests include handsome hospitality suites, newly remodeled and comfortable guest rooms, the Lucky Diamond Restaurant and Lounge and the Executive Travelers Club, an exclusive lounge area for the corporate traveler. Also featured is the Body Works, a nautilus health club with indoor pool, saunas and a whirlpool. Free covered parking and airport shuttle are also available.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Granite/Ballroom	138 x 56	1000	500	650	1000
Whitetail	53 x 56	290	200	250	400
Granite	31 x 63	150	100	100	300
Wood	53 x 56	290	200	250	450
Tempest	29 x 34	80	45	70	120
Avalanche	29 x 25	65	35	60	80
Sundance	23 x 35	40	25	40	60
Skytop	30 x 70	170	80	100	150
Peal	19.5 x 26	30	20	30	30
Hague	19.5 x 26	30	20	30	30
Ikerman	19.5 x 26	30	20	30	30
Pyramid	18 x 18	20	12		
Pinnacle	18 x 18	20	12		
Mystic	18 x 18	20	12		
Pryor	20 x 30	20	10		

ROCK CREEK RESORT

HC 49, Box 3500, Red Lodge, MT 59068 406-446-1111 Fax: 406-446-3688

91 SLEEPING ROOMS

358 BANQUET CAPACITY

555 CONVENTION CAPACITY

From Rock Creek Resort, tucked in a beautiful canyon below Beartooth Pass, it is a two-hour drive to Yellowstone National Park, 20 minutes to downhill skiing or 18-hole golf course. Well designed facility includes suites with kitchenettes, fireplaces, jacuzzis and walk-out balconies. Athletic club, hot tub, sauna, indoor swimming pool, tennis courts, cross-country skis, mountain bikes available.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Flathead	37.5 x 36	135	60	90	90
Blackfoot	37.5 x 30	110	45	75	75
Cheyenne	37.5 x 33	125	55	85	85
Crow	37.5 x 99	375	160	250	250
Grizzley Conference	39.2 x 45.6	100	40	60	60
Twin Elk Conference	37.9 x 19.4	80	36	48	48

DUDE RANCHER LODGE

415 N. 29th St., Billings, MT 59101 406-259-5561 or 800-221-3302 Fax: 406-259-5561

55 SLEEPING ROOMS

30 BANQUET CAPACITY

30 CONVENTION CAPACITY

At the Dude Rancher, you'll notice a difference when you first walk through the door. It's more like an inn than a motel. The feeling is casual and down-to-earth. Our fireside meeting room is well suited for meetings, seminars and small conventions. Our rooms are comfortable and quiet with a touch of Western style.

The Dude Rancher Restaurant is open and ready for any size group, serving a traditional breakfast, a variety of luncheon fares and American cuisine for dinner.

- Montana owned and operated
- Attached restaurant with American favorites
- In-tub whirlpools
- Courtyard parking with plug-ins
- Free movie channel

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
1	22 x 24.5	30	30	30	30

THE POLLARD

2 N. Broadway, P.O. Box 650, Red Lodge, MT 59068 406-446-0001 or 800-POLLARD FAX: 406-446-0002

39 SLEEPING ROOMS

50 BANQUET CAPACITY

50 CONVENTION CAPACITY

"The Pollard is a great hotel, and its...dining room is first-rate," wrote a former national TV anchor.

The Pollard is well suited for small conference groups and meetings. There are 39 rooms and suites with mountain views, hot tubs or balconies. Guests enjoy the smoke-free environment, fine dining and award winning wine list, health club and racquetball courts.

Strategically located at the beginning of the Beartooth Highway to Yellowstone and Grand Teton national parks, Red Lodge offers first rate downhill skiing, golf, fishing, rafting, horseback riding, hiking and bicycling. There are numerous events throughout the year.

Built in 1893 and fully restored, The Pollard is listed in the National Register of Historic Places and is a member of Historic Hotels of America. It is an easy one hour drive from the airports at either Billings, Montana, or Cody, Wyoming.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Beartooth Conference Room	29 x 37	50	50	50	50
Gallery Room	15.6 x 30				60
History Room	12 x 24				20
Mount Maurice Room	12 x 28	30	25	20	30

BOZEMAN

Ninety minutes from Yellowstone National Park, in the crisp mountain air, lies Bozeman. A fresh alternative to the commonplace, Bozeman offers breathtaking views and superb conference facilities. After a meeting, experience the blue-ribbon trout streams, view wildlife on uncrowded hiking or biking trails, or ski some of Bozeman's famous "cold smoke" powder at Bridger Bowl or Big Sky ski resorts. ✶ Bozeman's history is rich and varied; Lewis and Clark were two of the first visitors to the Gallatin Valley. Following in 1864 was John Bozeman, a wagon master and trail guide who viewed the valley as an opportunity to supply the gold fields of the West with supplies. Today, Bozeman's economy is based upon agriculture, Montana State University, government and tourism; and the city serves as the retail and service center for a five-county region. ✶ Bozeman is a *delightful walking town,* offering a potpourri of art galleries, specialty shops, relaxed dining, unique "Montana-mades," designer labels and Western mercantiles. Make time to explore our downtown historical district with landmark architecture from the turn of the century. ✶ When you walk through the Museum of the Rockies on the Montana State University campus, you travel through more than four billion years in time. Take in its *world-class dinosaur exhibit,* planetarium, Western art displays and traveling art and photography galleries. Just for fun, Bozeman hosts the Sweet Pea Festival, Taste of Bozeman and the Montana Winter Fair. ✶ Getting to Bozeman is easy. We're located on Interstate 90 and air service is provided by Delta, Northwest and Horizon airlines. You'll find impeccable, friendly service from our hospitality industry and capacity for groups up to 2,000.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
BOZEMAN AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
P.O. BOX B, 1205 E. MAIN STREET
BOZEMAN, MT 59715
406-586-5421 OR 800-228-4224

Upper left: Fishing the Gallatin River
DONNIE SEXTON
Upper right: Museum of the Rockies
COURTESY MUSEUM OF THE ROCKIES/BRUCE SELYEM
Bottom: Skiing Bridger Bowl
LONNIE BALL

BOZEMAN & VICINITY

		SLEEPING ROOMS	MEETING ROOMS	TOTAL SQUARE FEET	CONVENTION CAPACITY	THEATRE STYLE	CLASSROOM STYLE	BANQUET CAPACITY	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	RESTAURANT	AUDIO/VISUAL	ROOM RATES
BOZEMAN 59715	**Best Western GranTree Inn** 1325 N. 7th Avenue 587-5261 or 800-624-5865 Fax: 587-9437 Internet: www.grantreeinn.com	103	5	5697	250	250	150	250		★	★	★	✓✓	Convention rates offered, complimentary airport shuttle service, located in beautiful Gallatin Valley near great skiing, indoor pool/ jacuzzi.
	Bozeman Comfort Inn 1370 N. 7th Avenue 587-2322 or 800-587-3833 Fax: 587-2423	87	4	2680	120	120	70	100		★		★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Indoor pool, jacuzzi, sauna, exercise areas & more meet the needs of all travelers. Complimentary continental breakfast. Airport shuttle, catering & convention rates available.
	Days Inn 1321 N. 7th Avenue 587-5251 Fax: 587-5251	79	1	430	25	25	16	16		★		★	✓✓	Complimentary light breakfast. Luxury townhouse sleeps 6, executive housing & small business meetings. Catering available. 24-hr. whirlpool & sauna.
	Gallatin Gateway Inn P.O. Box 376 or 76405 Gallatin Rd., Bozeman, MT 59715 763-4672 or 800-676-3522 Fax: 763-4672	35	4	42,000	250	300	150	220	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Stunningly restored 1927 elegant railroad hotel in the heart of Yellowstone Country amid spectacular scenery, fly fishing & hiking. Fine dining & casual pub. Casting pond, tennis, complimentary continental breakfast. Jacuzzi and indoor pool.
	Holiday Inn 5 Baxter Lane 587-4561 or 800-366-5101 Fax: 587-4413 Internet: www.bznholinn.com	179	6	7000	400	400	300	300		★	★	★	✓✓	Airport shuttle, indoor pool, nautilus, jacuzzi, exercise area. Convention rates available.
BIG SKY 59716	**Best Western Buck's T-4** Highway 191 P.O. Box 160279 995-4111 or 800-822-4484 Fax: 995-2191 Email: buckst4@mcn.net Internet: www.omix.com/ami/sites/bigsky/bucks.html	75	4	7080	150	200	150	200	★	★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Buck's T-4 started as a hunting camp, serving up Western hospitality since 1946. It has grown into a full-service Best Western Resort Facility, just 40 miles from the West Entrance to Yellowstone National Park.
	Big Sky Ski & Summer Resort 1 Lone Mountain Trail P.O. Box 160001 995-5000 or 800-548-4487 Fax: 995-5003	1000	15	43,000	1000	950	400	550	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Montana's largest ski & summer resort. Golf course, tennis, heated outdoor pools, spa. Horseback riding, fly fishing, hiking, biking, skiing.
	River Rock Lodge & Accommodations Management 3080 Pine Drive P.O. Box 160700 995-2295 or 800-995-9966 Fax: 995-2727	29	1	750	80	80	48	48	★	★		★	✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Big Sky's premier lodging facility. Exceptional guest service. Elegant Western decor. Specializing in small groups & corporate retreats.
GARDINER 59030	**Comfort Inn-Yellowstone N.** 107 Hellroaring Road P.O. Box 268 848-7536 or 800-228-5150 Fax: 848-7536	80	1	1800	130	168	100		★	★		★	✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Complimentary continental breakfast, one mile from Yellowstone's North Entrance. Log-sided structure with rustic pine decor. 3 hot tubs, honeymoon suites. Summer & winter sports.
PRAY 59065	**Chico Hot Springs** Old Chico Road Drawer D 333-4933 or 800-468-9232 Fax: 333-4694	84	1	3600	150	160	60	150	★	★	★	★	✓ ✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	One of Montana's Last Best Places! From casual picnics on the lawn, to elegant weddings & receptions, to small corporate & family retreats, to black tie affairs. The ultimate in planning & guest service.
THREE FORKS 59752	**Madison River Inn** 5255 Madison Road 285-3914 Fax: 285-4401	7	4	2500	90	90	75	100	★	★		★	✓✓✓✓	Mansion sits on a bank of the river with spectacular views and privacy. Perfect for small meetings, executive retreats and reunions. Breakfast included; additional meals catered. River trails to walk.
	Sacajawea Inn 5 N. Main Street P.O. Box 648 285-6515 or 800-821-7326 Fax: 285-4210	33	3	1364	92	100	60	100	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Centrally located in Montana. Newly renovated grand old railroad hotel. On National Register of Historic Places. Elegant accommodations, excellent food, quiet.

Montana phone numbers use area code 406. ✓=under $40; ✓✓=$40-$60; ✓✓✓=$60-$80; ✓✓✓✓=more than $80.

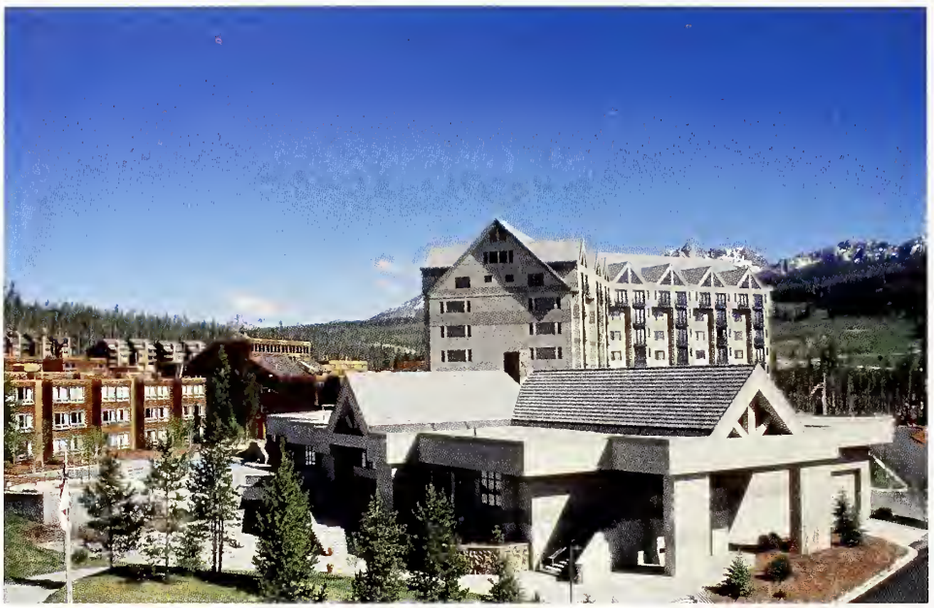
BIG SKY SKI & SUMMER RESORT

P.O. Box 160001, Big Sky, MT 59716 406-995-5000 or 800-548-4487 (Groups) Fax: 406-995-5003

1,000 SLEEPING ROOMS

550 BANQUET CAPACITY

1,000 CONVENTION CAPACITY



Big Sky is Montana's largest ski and summer resort, offering the kind of peace and unspoiled beauty not often found at other ski destinations. The property was founded by the late newscaster Chet Huntley, who dreamed of developing a resort in harmony with the natural environment.

Despite its wilderness setting, accommodations at Big Sky are anything but rough. The distinctive Huntley Lodge, located at the base of the ski area, features 200 rooms, suites and lofts. The 94-unit Shoshone Condominium Hotel is adjacent to Huntley and has one-bedroom and loft suites with spectacular views out every window of its seven stories.

Big Sky's meeting facilities are both convenient and well appointed. A ballroom handling as many as 1,000 guests, an amphitheater with complete audio-visual support, breakrooms and atriums all reflect a rustic elegance.

While the area's excellent skiing on over 80 miles of groomed or untracked terrain is enough to keep most wintertime guests occupied, Big Sky offers many other diversions in the summer. These include an Arnold Palmer-designed golf course, six tennis courts, scenic gondola rides and heated outdoor pools and jacuzzi. Horseback riding, fly fishing, hiking, mountain biking and rafting are available for the outdoor enthusiast.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Missouri Ballroom	61 x 131	950	400	550	1000
Jefferson	47 x 63	250	150	200	350
Madison	36 x 57	150	100	150	250
Gallatin	47 x 63	250	150	200	350
Dunraven	22 x 43	80	48	49	100
Lake	22 x 42	80	48	49	100
Lamar	22 x 44	80	48	49	100
Amphitheatre	34 x 35	138	138		
Executive Boardroom	17 x 26		16		
Grand Atrium	33 x 42			56	150
Cheyenne	31 x 42	80	48	49	100
North Cheyenne	31 x 21	30	20	20	40
South Cheyenne	31 x 21	30	20	20	40
Mammoth Room	96 x 48	400	200	300	550
North Mammoth	48 x 48	200	100	150	225
South Mammoth	48 x 48	200	100	150	225

BEST WESTERN GRANTREE INN

1325 N. 7th Ave., Bozeman, MT 59715 ☊ 406-587-5261 or 800-624-5865
Internet: www.grantreeinn.com

103 SLEEPING ROOMS

250 BANQUET CAPACITY

250 CONVENTION CAPACITY

There's no better location for a productive meeting or convention than Bozeman's Best Western GranTree Inn, where guests receive our special brand of Montana hospitality.

The GranTree Inn offers an excellent full-service coffee shop, fine-dining restaurant, casino room, lively lounge, indoor pool, jacuzzi and complimentary airport shuttle service.

The GranTree Inn has what you're looking for to make the most of your convention experience. Our sales and catering staff will take care of all your special group needs.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Ballroom	29 x 79	260	140	190	220
Ponderosa	29 x 25	65	35	45	45
Tamarack	29 x 22	55	30	35	35
Aspen	29 x 32	85	45	65	65
Willow	17 x 20	30	20	20	30
Birch	12 x 18		10	10	
Atrium	42 x 65	400	200	250	400

CHICO HOT SPRINGS

Drawer D, Pray, MT 59065 ☊ 406-333-4933 or 800-468-9232 Fax: 406-333-4694

84 SLEEPING ROOMS

150 BANQUET CAPACITY

150 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Chico Hot Springs Lodge is one of Montana's Last Best Places! Located 25 miles south of Livingston in Paradise Valley, this century-old establishment sits on 154 acres nestled below Emigrant Peak along the Yellowstone River, one of the nation's premier blue-ribbon trout rivers.

At Chico Hot Springs you can relax in unassuming surroundings and dine in one of Montana's finest restaurants. Dance, prance and romance in Chico's Saloon, one of the area's favorite watering holes hosting some of Montana's best local talent.

In addition to Chico's famous natural, odorless mineral hot springs pool, Chico offers an abundance of guided activities including fly fishing, white-water rafting, hiking, scenic horseback rides, cross-country skiing and guided dogsled treks.

Our catering and convention facilities run from casual picnics on the lawn, to elegant weddings and receptions, to small corporate and family retreats, to black tie affairs. Our professional staff provides the ultimate in planning and guest services.

AUDREY S. HALL

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Conference Hall	36 x 100	160	60	150	150

GALLATIN GATEWAY INN

76405 Gallatin Rd., P.O. Box 376, Bozeman, MT 59715 406-763-4672 or 800-676-3522 Fax: 406-763-4672

35 SLEEPING ROOMS

220 BANQUET CAPACITY

250 CONVENTION CAPACITY

We are known regionally for our fine dining and creative American cuisine. Breads and pastries are home-made, our beef and bison are locally raised and our seafood is fresh. The Inn's organic garden provides many of the vegetables and herbs used in our kitchen. Our pub offers a more casual setting, lively conversation, great burgers and appetizers!

Just outside Bozeman at the entrance of the Gallatin Canyon, lies one of the grand railroad hotels of the Rocky Mountain West. The Gallatin Gateway Inn was built in 1927 to accommodate travelers destined for Yellowstone National Park. Now, after years of historical restoration, the Inn has emerged from its colorful past to welcome today's travelers.

Our packages include lodging, meeting facilities and a variety of meal options. In addition, we can provide guided recreational services (fly fishing, hiking, naturalist guides to Yellowstone, rafting) to make your stay even more enjoyable.

Our meeting and banquet facilities can accommodate intimate retreats as well as board meetings, large workshops, seminars and elegant closing banquets. Our friendly and professional staff provides the highest quality personal service.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Conference Room	16 x 38	40	25	28	
Colonnade	10 x 71			48	48
Fireplace Lounge	40 x 71	300	150	220	300
Baggage Room	36 x 44	40	40	56	60

SACAJAWEA INN

5 N. Main St., Three Forks, MT 59752 406-285-6515 or 800-821-7326 Fax: 406-285-4210

33 SLEEPING ROOMS

100 BANQUET CAPACITY

92 CONVENTION CAPACITY

ROB OUTLAW, OUTLAW PHOTOGRAPHY

This newly renovated grand old railroad hotel provides gracious accommodations, two quiet meeting rooms, excellent food and personalized service. Thirty-three tastefully appointed guest rooms offer lodging for up to 75 guests (double occupancy).

Centrally located, the Sacajawea Inn is an ideal meeting place. Additionally, airline service to Gallatin Field, 20 miles away, makes "The Sac" accessible to far-ranging guests.

"The Sac" ensures personal attention to detail. From room set-ups to menu planning, the staff is committed to making meetings flow smoothly.

Off-season discounts and convention rates available.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Meeting Room	60 x 26	100	60	100	100
Dining Room	23 x 40	50	50	75	75
York Room	15 x 18	20		15	

BUTTE

Butte was settled in 1864 as a small mining claim and later mushroomed into a bustling copper center known as "the richest hill on earth." After a worldwide slump in the copper market, mining operations shut down in 1983; but Butte citizens bounced back with a "can do" attitude. Mining operations resumed in 1986, the United States High Altitude Sports Center was built in 1987 to help train U.S. Olympic athletes and Butte was named an *All America City in 1988.* Today Butte's diversified economy emphasizes energy research, education, medicine, tourism and silicon-based manufacturing. ★ You can tour historical districts on the Old No. 1 streetcar or take the walking tour. Visit the historical Arts Chateau, admire the Copper King Mansion or try your luck in a casino. Gaze up at Our Lady of the Rockies on the Continental Divide. Peer into the enormous Berkeley Pit to see the amazing size of this copper mine or visit the Anselmo Mineyard. Fluorescent minerals are among the 1,300 specimens on display in the Mineral Museum on the campus of Montana Tech of the University of Montana and the World Museum of Mining has indoor and outdoor exhibits. ★ Butte is conveniently located at the crossroads of Interstates 90 and 15, and air service is provided by Horizon and Sky West airlines. Not far from town are numerous recreational opportunities including downhill and cross-country skiing, snowmobiling, hot springs resorts, rock climbing, hiking, fishing, guest ranches and golfing. ★ *Our richest resource, the people of Butte,* will make you feel welcome. Enjoy your stay and come again!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
BUTTE-SILVER BOW CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
EXIT 126–1000 GEORGE ST.
BUTTE, MT 59701
800-735-6814
INTERNET: **www.butteinfo.org**

Upper left: Overview of Butte
DONNIE SEXTON
Upper right: Copper King Mansion
DONNIE SEXTON
Bottom: Arts Chateau and Old No. 1
BILL RAUTIO

BUTTE & VICINITY

		SLEEPING ROOMS	MEETING ROOMS	TOTAL SQUARE FEET	CONVENTION CAPACITY	THEATRE STYLE	CLASSROOM STYLE	BANQUET CAPACITY	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	RESTAURANT	AUDIO/VISUAL	ROOM RATES	
BUTTE 59701	**Best Western Butte Plaza Inn** 2900 Harrison Avenue 494-3500 or 800-543-5814 Fax: 494-7611 Internet: www.bestwestern.com/thisco/bw/27065/27065_b.html	134	4	1896	80	80	50	60		★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Centrally located, just off I-90, Exit 127. Complimentary European Breakfast Buffet. Lounge, Casino, 24-hour Perkins restaurant/room service. Indoor pool, sauna, steam room, fitness center. Group rates available. Comfortable, quiet meeting rooms.
	Comfort Inn 2777 Harrison Avenue 494-8850 or 800-442-INNS Fax: 494-2801	150	4	1760	120	120	60	60	★	★		★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Butte's "best lodging value." Adjacent to restaurant and casino, catering available. Hot tub, sauna, cable TV with HBO. Complimentary "expanded" continental breakfast, shuttle service, children under 18 stay free.
	Fairmont Hot Springs Resort 1500 Fairmont Road (59711) 797-3241 or 800-332-3272 Fax: 797-3337 Internet: www.fairmontmontana.com	153	9	8358	500	700	300	550	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	500-acre property with golf course, 2 Olympic-size pools and 2 soaking pools fed by natural hot springs.
	Holiday Inn Express One Holiday Park Drive 494-6999 Fax: 494-1300	83	5	4600	500	500	225	250		★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	83 rooms with beautiful mountain views, consisting of 17 two-room suites, king and double queen rooms. Free generous breakfast bar, hair dryers, phones in bathrooms and desk with modem hookup. Newest hotel in Butte.
	Ramada Copper King Inn 4655 Harrison Avenue South 494-6666 or 800-332-8600 Fax: 494-3274	150	15	11,176	600	1200	650	2950		★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	150 beautiful guest rooms including two suites. Indoor pool, sauna, spa and fitness center. Coffee shop, dining room and lounge. 24,000 sq. ft. copper dome perfect for trade shows and exhibit areas.
	War Bonnet Inn 2100 Cornell Avenue 494-7800 or 800-443-1806	134	6	4240	450	535	225	450	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Garden patio cafe, indoor pool, sauna, jacuzzi, exercise room. Senior rates.
DEER LODGE 59722	**The Pen** 923 Main Street 846-3393 or 846-3111 Fax: 846-3294	106	6	5871	690	690	650	500	★	★	★	★	✓ ✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Large, modern facility located in the historical old Montana prison complex. Live summer theater, close to Olympic-size indoor swimming pool, public golf course, nonsmoking. Museum packages available.
VIRGINIA CITY 59755	**Hangman's Inn** P.O. Box 123 117 W. Wallace Street 843-5522 or 800-451-9926 Fax: 843-5520 or 363-1273	20	1	600	50	50	50	50	★	★		★	✓✓	Located in the center of historical Virginia City. Walk to all amenities—restaurants, saloons, shops, historic sites, museums. New and modern rooms. Fax and cable TV. Open year-round. Great corporate getaway!

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

IN MONTANA, YOU CAN STRIKE THE PERFECT BALANCE BETWEEN BUSINESS AND PLEASURE. AND ALTHOUGH YOU CAN CONDUCT BUSINESS ANY TIME OF THE YEAR, HERE ARE A FEW PLEASURES YOU MAY WANT TO PLAN AROUND.

JANUARY

MONTANA PRO RODEO FINALS – GREAT FALLS
The state's best cowboys and cowgirls compete against Montana's finest rodeo stock. 406-727-8115

FEBRUARY

RACE TO THE SKY SLED DOG RACE – HELENA
This 350-mile race across the Continental Divide is the most challenging in the lower 48 states. 406-442-4008

WHITEFISH WINTER CARNIVAL – WHITEFISH
Parades, community festivities and slopes aglow with a torchlight parade and fireworks. 406-862-3501

MARCH

C.M. RUSSELL ART AUCTION – GREAT FALLS
An extravaganza celebrating art of the nation's finest living and deceased Western artists. 406-761-4434

APRIL

INTERNATIONAL WILDLIFE FILM FESTIVAL – MISSOULA
Top producers and filmmakers from around the world are in attendance. The festival is a juried film competition featuring top quality wildlife films, workshops and panels on wildlife filmmaking. 406-782-9380

MAY

MILES CITY BUCKING HORSE SALE – MILES CITY
Rodeo stock contractors purchase their stock for the upcoming rodeo season this weekend. Wild horses, Western art and cowboys everywhere make this a true cultural event. 406-232-6585

BIGFORK WHITEWATER FESTIVAL – BIGFORK
This triathlon and kayak race down the Swan River kick off Bigfork's summer season. 406-837-9914

JUNE

LEWIS AND CLARK FESTIVAL – GREAT FALLS
Historic site tours, diary readings, re-enactments and Missouri River floats. 406-761-4434

MONTANA TRADITIONAL JAZZ FESTIVAL – HELENA
Helena's historic business district bustles with top name Dixieland jazz groups, arts, crafts and a food fair. 406-442-4120

CUSTER'S LAST STAND RE-ENACTMENT – HARDIN
More than 200 Indian and Cavalry riders re-enact this famous battle. Also features nightly entertainment, cultural cuisine, parades, arts and crafts. 406-665-1672

JULY

BANNACK DAYS – BANNACK
A celebration of mining, ranching and farming history that features stagecoach rides, mock gunfights, dancing and music. 406-834-3413

AUGUST

FESTIVAL OF NATIONS – RED LODGE
Nine days that celebrate the customs, foods, arts and crafts of the European immigrants who settled this alpine town. 406-446-1905

CROW INDIAN FAIR – CROW AGENCY
One of the nation's premier native cultural celebrations features four days of parades, rodeos, dancing, singing and feasting. 406-638-2601

SEPTEMBER

COTTONWOOD FESTIVAL – GREAT FALLS
Learn to weave a basket, make a toy, or shoe a horse. Try your hand at panning for gold, making apple-head dolls or milking. Over 50 activities from the past to choose from. Old-time entertainment, ethnic and folk food. 406-452-3462

FAIRMONT HOT SPRINGS RESORT

1500 Fairmont Rd., Fairmont, MT 59711 406-797-3241 or 800-332-3272 Fax: 406-797-3337
Internet: www.fairmontmontana.com

153 SLEEPING ROOMS

550 BANQUET CAPACITY

500 CONVENTION CAPACITY

When you need an ideal setting for your next function with full convention facilities coupled with Montana's relaxed atmosphere, Fairmont Hot Springs Resort has what you are looking for. With over 15,000 square feet of meeting and display space, each session of your agenda can easily be accommodated. Your guests can step right from the meeting room onto our golf course or enjoy the many other recreational opportunities available at the resort. Recreation will enhance your gathering, make it more productive and better attended.

The resort features an outstanding 6,741-yard, 18-hole, par 72 golf course. The "mile high, mile long" hole #5 is recognized throughout the state as one of the most challenging.

Fairmont is known for its two Olympic-sized swimming pools and two mineral soaking pools. The overnight guests' 24 hour use of these indoor/outdoor pools make an ideal setting for casual networking and building business relationships. The pools are fed by an unlimited supply of 155-degree natural hot springs water, cooled to various temperatures for comfort and enjoyment. The enclosed 350-foot waterslide provides a wet, wild ride into the outdoor pool.

Cradled by the Continental Divide, Fairmont Hot Springs Resort is easy to get to: three miles off I-90 and eight miles from the I-90 and I-15 interchange. Only a short, scenic drive away is the Bert Mooney Airport in Butte. Transportation available upon request.

When you need a place to get away, Fairmont Hot Springs Resort is Montana's "Funtastic" place to do just that.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Mt. Haggin	56 x 34	200	100	160	250
Gregson	56 x 32	200	100	140	250
Pintler	56 x 34	200	100	160	250
Combined	56 x 100	700	300	550	800
Conference Room #1	25 x 18	50	24	36	75
Conference Room #2	26 x 25	75	36	55	100
Conference Room #3	25 x 18	50	24	36	75
Conference Room #4	25 x 18	50	24	36	75
Conference Room #5	25 x 18	50	24	36	75
Executive Board Room	24 x 14				
Poolside Patio	50 x 55			100	150
Pre-function/Display Area	4,750 sq. ft.				300

RAMADA COPPER KING INN

4655 Harrison Ave. S., Butte, MT 59701 406-494-6666 or 800-332-8600 Fax: 406-494-3274

150 SLEEPING ROOMS

2950 BANQUET CAPACITY

600 CONVENTION CAPACITY

The Ramada Copper King Inn is southwest Montana's largest and most complete convention and meeting facility, offering more than 11,000 square feet of multi-purpose space. The Copper Dome is a unique facility that offers an airy atmosphere for meetings, exhibitions and trade shows. The Inn features spacious guest rooms; amenities include a large heated indoor pool, hot tub, sauna and exercise room.

The coffee shop and dining room offer casual fare to fine dining. In addition to an extensive dinner menu, the dining room offers its popular "Sunset Menu," which tenders a variety of different evening entrees each week. Jox Sports & Spirits features a casino area, live entertainment and satellite-fed sporting events in 13 viewing areas.

The professional staff provides friendly, quality service. Conveniently located across from the airport and easily accessible from Interstates 15 and 90.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Ballroom	90 x 74	750	400	850	550
Convention Center	88 x 52	450	250	450	350
Break out - 6 rooms each	30 x 26	60	40	60	60
Immediate Poolside	64 x 64				150
Glasshouse	14 x 22			20	30
Parlor	40 x 12	50	25	40	40
143 & 243	19 x 18	20	12	20	15
113 & 115	16 x 12	15		10	
Copper Dome	200 x 120	2700		1500	1500

WAR BONNET INN

2100 Cornell Ave., Butte, MT 59701 406-494-7800 or 800-443-1806

134 SLEEPING ROOMS

450 BANQUET CAPACITY

450 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Located in the heart of Montana's Rocky Mountains is a historical mining town that has also become the state's technological research center. Butte has something for everyone—beautiful scenery and recreational activities.

At the War Bonnet Inn, we know the success of your business or social function depends on perfect planning and proper facilities. Our multi-purpose convention center converts to your needs—private conference rooms, adaptable workshops, ample meeting or party space—all in one location. Our banquet staff can cater breakfasts to gala dinners.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
War Council I	20 x 30	60	30	40	50
War Council II	20 x 30	60	30	40	50
War Council III	20 x 30	60	30	40	50
War Council IV	20 x 40	100	40	100	100
War Council V	40 x 40	200	70	170	160
Silver Bow	17 x 30	50	35	50	50
107	17 x 11	10			
127	17 x 13	10			
258	16 x 18	10	50		
Immediate Poolside					200
Convention Center	60 x 70	600	300	450	600

GREAT FALLS

When the meeting's over, you'll find plenty to see and do in Great Falls, a premiere destination for history buffs and a splendid location for anyone looking to mix business with pleasure. Montana's second largest city is full of excellent meeting places, fine hotels and restaurants, and grand historic attractions. ★ *Lewis and Clark* gave the "great falls" rave reviews two centuries ago and your group will be equally impressed. The exciting new Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail Interpretive Center, open in spring of 1998, will feature hands-on exhibits that offer fascinating insight into the legendary 1804-1806 journey. The 22,500-square-foot Center also details the Native American perspective of Lewis and Clark's travels through Big Sky Country. Great Falls is also home to the Lewis and Clark Festival, which brings the expedition to life each June with reenactments, exhibits and float trips. ★ *Charlie Russell,* "America's cowboy artist," called Great Falls home and, as a result, the arts are still a big part of the Great Falls experience. The C.M. Russell Museum Complex contains more that 7,500 works of art. Tour Russell's original log cabin studio and view sculptures and paintings by Russell, O.C. Seltzer, E.E. Heikka and more. The renowned C.M. Russell Auction of Western Art held annually in March is a world-class event for art lovers. ★ The Ulm Pishkun Buffalo Jump, just west of Great Falls, gives you a chance to see how *Native Americans* hunted bison thousands of years ago. This mile-long bison kill site includes signage explaining how the Pishkun was used and offers breathtaking views of the surrounding mountains and plains. The area will soon feature an educational center with exhibits that detail the proud heritage of the modern day tribes descended from these ancient people. ★ For a great place to work and play, *discover the historic West* in Great Falls. We're on Interstate 15 with easy access to outlying attractions. Air service is provided by Delta, Horizon and Northwest airlines.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
GREAT FALLS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
P.O. BOX 2127, 710-1ST AVE. NORTH
GREAT FALLS, MT 59403
406-761-4434

Upper left: Overview of Great Falls
DONNIE SEXTON
Upper right: Giant Springs Heritage State Park
DONNIE SEXTON
Bottom: C.M. Russell Museum Complex
DONNIE SEXTON

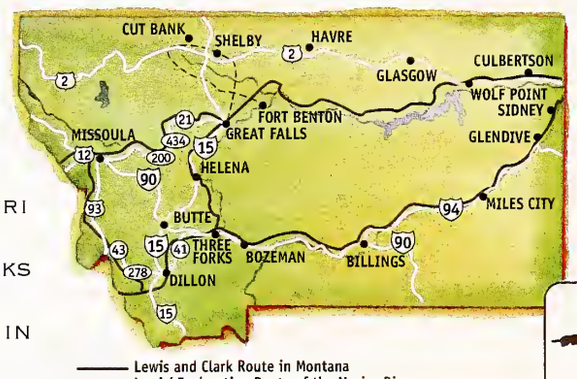
GREAT FALLS & VICINITY

		SLEEPING ROOMS	MEETING ROOMS	TOTAL SQUARE FEET	CONVENTION CAPACITY	THEATRE STYLE	CLASSROOM STYLE	BANQUET CAPACITY	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	RESTAURANT	AUDIO/VISUAL	ROOM RATES	
GREAT FALLS 59404	**Best Western Heritage Inn** 1700 Fox Farm Road 761-1900 or 800-548-0361 (USA) or 800-548-8256 (Canada) Fax: 761-0136	239	10	17,636	1200	2000	800	1200		★	★	★	✓✓	Newly renovated with 21,000 sq. ft. of indoor recreation. Two swimming pools, sauna, hot tubs, fitness center, pool tables, casino, gift shop.
	Holiday Inn Great Falls 400 10th Avenue S. (59405) 727-7200 or 800-257-1998 Fax: 727-7200	173	9	4765	500	550	300	400	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Convention rates. Walking to major mall. Indoor pool, sauna, jacuzzi. Remodeled all rooms and public space 1993. Full-service convention facility.
	Townhouse Inn of Great Falls 1411 10th Avenue S. 761-4600 or 800-442-INNS Fax: 761-7603	109	4	2987	410	410	200	150	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Great Falls' premiere hotel, casino and restaurant facility. Indoor pool, giant hot tub, sauna, arcade area. Cable TV with HBO, children under 12 stay free. Located near Holiday Village Mall.
CHOTEAU 59422	**Best Western Stage Stop Inn** 1005 N. Main Ave. 466-5900 or 888-466-5900 Fax: 466-5907 Email: msexton@3rivers.net	43	1	1800	150	100	75	90		★		★	✓✓	Along the Rocky Mountain Front. One hour from Great Falls and 90 minutes from Glacier. Scenery, wildlife, fishing, skiing, hiking, golf, museums. Classy, convenient accommodations with pool, spa and continental breakfast.
HAVRE 59501	**Townhouse Inn of Havre** 629 W. First 265-6711 or 800-442-INNS Fax: 265-6213 Voice mail: 723-2052 ext. 5716	109	1	2378	140	140	100	170	★	★		★	✓✓	Havre's "best lodging value." Liberal casino, catering available, indoor pool, hot tub, sauna, arcade area. Cable TV with HBO, children under 12 stay free. Shuttle service, complimentary breakfast "toast bar."
SHELBY 59474	**Sherlock Motel, Inc.** 448 Main St. & 133 5th Ave. S. 434-5216 or 800-477-5216 Fax: 434-2367 Email: sherlock.motel@shelby.mt.us Internet: www.shelby.mt.us/~sherlck	20	1	332	20	20	20	20	★			★	✓ ✓✓	Ideal for small conferences, meetings, or sales exhibits. High-tech business services/catering available. Main Street location offers best access to AMTRAK, dining, nightlife, car rentals. Excellent day-tour potential to Glacier/Waterton Parks.

Montana phone numbers use area code 406. ✓=under $40; ✓✓=$40-$60; ✓✓✓=$60-$80; ✓✓✓✓=more than $80.

THE LEWIS & CLARK TRAIL

It has been nearly 200 years SINCE TWO OF AMERICA'S MOST HERALDED FRONTIERSMEN TRAVELED MORE THAN 8,000 MILES ON WHAT IS NOW THE LEWIS AND CLARK TRAIL TO UNLOCK THE WEST FOR AN AMBITIOUS, YOUNG NATION. WELL OVER A QUARTER OF THEIR JOURNEY WAS SPENT IN MONTANA, AND MUCH OF WHAT THEY SAW HERE REMAINS UNCHANGED. REMOTE STRETCHES OF THE MISSOURI AND YELLOWSTONE RIVERS, PHYSICAL LANDMARKS AND GRAFFITI THEY LEFT BEHIND REMAIN IN PLACE FOR EXPLORERS TODAY.



LEWIS AND CLARK

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
TRAVEL MONTANA
800-VISIT-MT OR 800-847-4868 (OUTSIDE MT)
OR 406-444-2654

BEST WESTERN HERITAGE INN

1700 Fox Farm Rd., Great Falls, MT 59404 406-761-1900 or 800-548-0361 (USA) 800-548-8256 (Canada) Fax: 406-761-0136

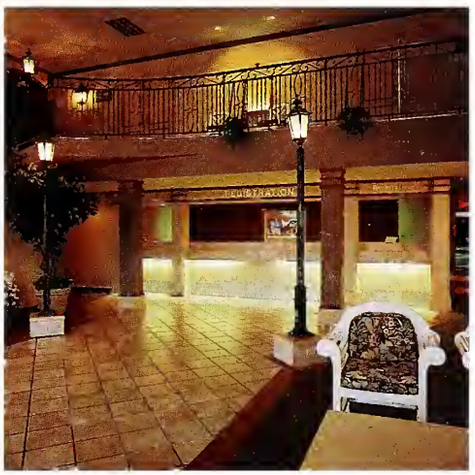
239 SLEEPING ROOMS

1,200 BANQUET CAPACITY

1,200 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Located halfway between Yellowstone and Glacier National Park, Great Falls is the perfect central location for any convention or meeting. See the incredible journey of the Corps of Discovery come to life at the new Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center, overlooking the Missouri River. Stand in Charles M. Russell's studio and experience his magnificent art at the C.M. Russell Museum. Take a stroll around Giant Springs, one of the world's largest freshwater springs, bubbling an incredible 134,000 gallons per minute. There you will find a state fish hatchery where you can view and handfeed rainbow trout weighing up to ten pounds.

The Heritage Inn has rightly earned its reputation as the convention center for Montana. We will accommodate your needs. We have two indoor pools, sauna, two hot tubs, a family restaurant, poolside bar, gift shop, fitness center and a casino. Tennis courts, golf courses and racquetball courts are in close proximity. The Great Falls Heritage Inn is the place for business or holidays.



MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
American	21 x 55	130	60	108	125
Britain	21 x 55	130	60	108	125
Canadian	24 x 55	140	60	108	150
Total Combined	66 x 55	400	180	324	450
Montana	24 x 27	50	18	36	40
Alberta	24 x 27	50	18	36	40
Total Combined	48 x 27	100	36	72	80
Paris	18 x 27	40	18	36	30
Venice	18 x 27	40	18	36	30
Total Combined	36 x 27	80	36	72	75
Poolside	92 x 122	2000+	800+	1200+	2000+
201-Board Room	14 x 18	25	12	24	25
298-Board Room	14 x 18	25	12	24	25

HOLIDAY INN

400 10th Ave. S., Great Falls, MT 59405 406-727-7200 or 800-257-1998 (outside MT) Fax: 406-727-7200

173 SLEEPING ROOMS

400 BANQUET CAPACITY

500 CONVENTION CAPACITY

RAY OZMON

Warm, Western hospitality under the Big Sky awaits you at the new Holiday Inn of Great Falls. All sleeping rooms, public space and meeting space are freshly renovated. The all new Philly's features fine family dining and contributes to the best of environments for business or pleasure.

Holiday Inn Great Falls is conveniently located near shopping, business, scenic and historical sites and is easily accessible with plenty of parking.

An indoor pool, jacuzzi and saunas are just the ticket for relaxing after a long day. When the sun goes down, the fun comes up in Philly's Lounge and Casino. The latest in music video, great refreshments and the newest video gaming machines are all available for your enjoyment.

When it's time to get down to business, you've chosen no better location than the Holiday Inn Great Falls. Whether your group is 5 or 500, the friendly, courteous staff stands ready to make your event successful.

The Holiday Inn Great Falls—your best choice for all reasons.

RAY OZMON

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Board	20 x 19	50	20		36
Russell	40 x 19	70	36		50
Trailsend	45 x 26	125	50	75	60
Mansfield	45 x 32	125	50	75	60
Aronson	45 x 39	175	100	150	100
C Center	4400 sq. ft.	500	250	425	260
Poolside	4500	350		350	220

HELENA

Meet your wildest expectations in unconventional Helena, where a little wildlife is part of the convention package. Here you can enjoy: 1,177 lodging rooms; combined meeting room space of more than 30,000 square feet; combined exhibit space of more than 60,000 square feet; dozens of meeting rooms, the largest of which can accommodate 500; 90 restaurants; 322 shops; four lakes and one river; 318 bald eagles; 8,000 deer; 5,000 elk; 100 mountain goats; 733 miles of hiking trails; 976,000 acres of Helena National Forest; 1,500,000 rainbow trout. ★ Placer gold, quartz gold, silver and lead discoveries created an overnight boom town in this beautiful mountain valley. Eventually the gold played out, but the people who came here stayed and prospered. They built a large Gothic cathedral, a Moorish temple (now the Civic Center) and ornate mansions. They graced the granite and limestone Capitol Building with a copper dome. Helena's history plays a vibrant role in the city today. The downtown boasts over *50 registered historical landmarks*, while the mansion district is a showplace of historical preservation. ★ Stroll the shops and restaurants along the walking mall, ride the tour train through the historical districts, visit the Original Governor's Mansion, attend a live performance at the Myrna Loy Center, try your luck in a casino or tour the Montana Historical Society Museum and art galleries. ★ Helena is located on Interstate 15 and air service is provided by Delta, Horizon, Big Sky and Sky West airlines. Just outside of town are many attractions and activities, including a boat tour through the Gates of the Mountains and numerous ghost towns. Canyon Ferry Lake offers swimming, fishing and boating. In autumn, *hundreds of bald eagles gather* near Helena to feast on spawning salmon.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
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CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU
225 CRUSE AVENUE
HELENA, MT 59601
800-7-HELENA (800-743-5362) OR 406-447-1531

Upper left: Horseback riding
DONNIE SEXTON
Upper right: Capitol Building
DONNIE SEXTON
Bottom: Fishing the Missouri
DONNIE SEXTON

HELENA & VICINITY

		SLEEPING ROOMS	MEETING ROOMS	TOTAL SQUARE FEET	CONVENTION CAPACITY	THEATRE STYLE	CLASSROOM STYLE	BANQUET CAPACITY	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	RESTAURANT	AUDIO/VISUAL	ROOM RATES	
HELENA 59601	**Aladdin Motor Inn** 2101 E. 11th Avenue 443-2300 or 800-541-2743 Fax: 442-7057	72	4	3549	125	335	213	271	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Indoor pool, sauna, jacuzzi, lounge, restaurant, airport shuttle. 80% nonsmoking. Convention rates.
	Best Western Colonial Park Hotel 2301 Colonial Drive 443-2100 or 800-422-1002 Fax: 442-0301	149	13	15,425	600	600	250	530		★	★	★	✓✓✓	Indoor/outdoor pools, sauna, hot tub, lounge, airport shuttle, gift shop, beauty salon. Convention rates.
	Holiday Inn Express 701 Washington 449-4000 Fax: 449-4522	75	1	400	32	40	32	40		★		★	✓✓✓	Helena's newest and only "smoke-free" facility. Perfect for corporate groups: business suites, fitness center and lovely complimentary breakfast bar. Easy access off Interstate 15 and US 12.
	Jorgenson's Holiday Motel 1714 11th Avenue P.O. Box 857 442-1770 or 800-272-1770 (MT) Fax: 449-0155	117	5	2865	220	200	100	220		★	★	★	✓✓	Restaurant, lounge, indoor pool, complimentary airport service, 24-hour coffee in main lobby. Across from the mall. AAA & senior discounts. Group rates. Coin-op laundry. 80% nonsmoking.
	Park Plaza Hotel 22 N. Last Chance Gulch 443-2200 or 800-332-2290 (MT) Fax: 442-4030	71	6	3402	150	275	125	180		★	★	★	✓✓✓	Located downtown on historic Last Chance Gulch within walking distance of theaters, art galleries, museums, retail shops. Airport shuttle. Convention rates. Lounge & night club.
BOULDER 59632	**Boulder Hot Springs** 3 mi. S of Boulder on MT 69 P.O. Box 930 225-4339 Fax: 225-4345	33	2	1768	120			65	★		★		✓	Historic hotel with three indoor pools fed by natural hot springs. Recreational outdoor pool. Bed & Breakfast rooms available.

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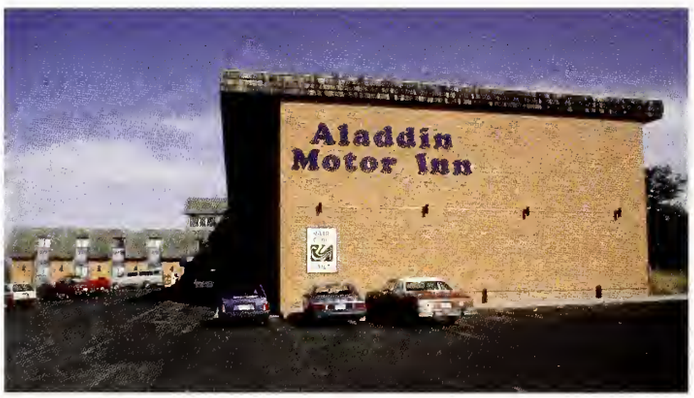
ALADDIN MOTOR INN

2101 E. 11th Ave., Helena, MT 59601 406-443-2300 or 800-541-2743 Fax: 406-442-7057

72 SLEEPING ROOMS

271 BANQUET CAPACITY

125 CONVENTION CAPACITY



We are located just east of the Capitol and 4 blocks from the mall. You have a wonderful view of the Sleeping Giant from your spacious room.

We offer a complimentary meeting room with room block for conventions. Complimentary support equipment furnished.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Presidents Suite	40 x 27	125	65	95	150
Garden Room	41 x 25	90	60	75	125
Governors Suite	39 x 19	60	45	50	35
Senators Suite	38 x 19	60	45	50	35
Room 226	20 x 20	20	15		
Room 202	21 x 13	10	10		
Statesman Suite	22 x 13	10	10		

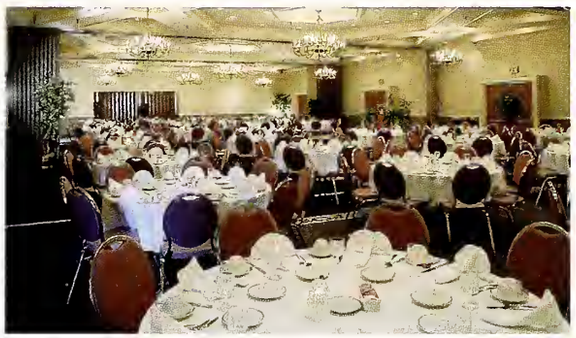
BEST WESTERN COLONIAL PARK HOTEL

2301 Colonial Dr., Helena, MT 59601 ☊ 406-443-2100 or 800-422-1002 Fax: 406-442-0301

149 SLEEPING ROOMS

530 BANQUET CAPACITY

600 CONVENTION CAPACITY



The Best Western Colonial Park features four hot tub rooms, large banquet facilities, sauna, jacuzzi, full-service business center, easy highway access, indoor and outdoor pools, restaurant, lounge and airport shuttle.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Ballroom	4608 sq. ft.	500	250	400	640
State/Capitol	3450	450	200	320	460
Executive	2304	250	120	200	320
Capitol	2352	250	120	200	260
Legislative	1152	125	60	80	160
Judicial	1152	125	60	80	160
State	1176	130	60	80	160
Lewis	1044	75	50	64	100
Clark	912	75	50	64	100
Gallery	1025	75	40	56	80
Montana	585	40	24	32	48
Meadowlark	540	40	24	24	36
Senate	420	35	24	24	32
Helena	434				
Natatorium	2052	200		120	200

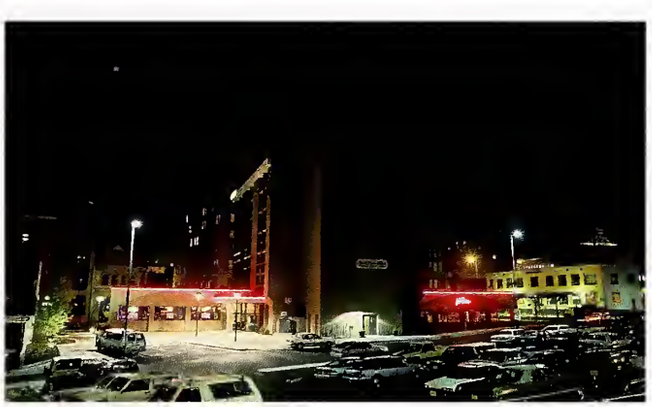
PARK PLAZA HOTEL

22 N. Last Chance Gulch, Helena, MT 59601 ☊ 406-443-2200 or 800-332-2290 (in MT) Fax: 406-442-4030

71 SLEEPING ROOMS

180 BANQUET CAPACITY

150 CONVENTION CAPACITY

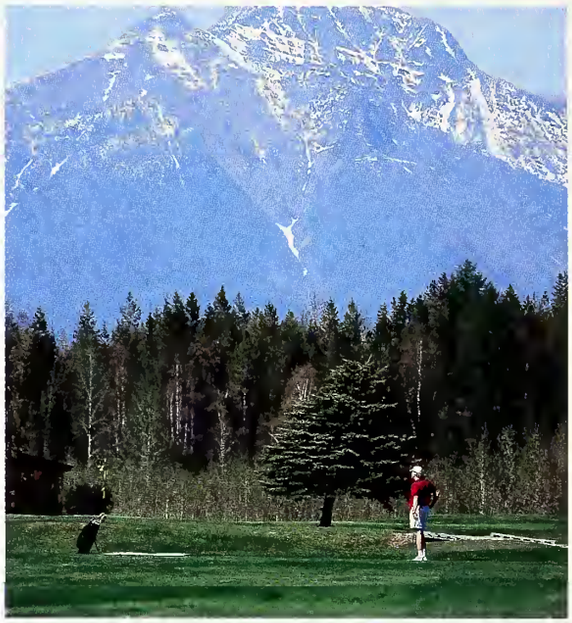


- Downtown historic location
- 1990 expansion and remodeling
- Victor's Restaurant, Lounge & Patio
- JD's Nightclub
- Comedy night
- Catering available
- Meeting/banquet rooms
- Convention rates
- Suites
- Airport shuttle
- 3pm checkout
- Cable TV and FAX machine

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Elkhorn	42 x 43	275	125	180	250
Elkhorn A	21 x 42	125	60	70	120
Elkhorn B	22 x 42	140	70	80	120
Rimini	24 x 35	100	40	70	85
Rimini A	18 x 24	45	18	30	35
Rimini B	17 x 24	45	18	30	35
Marysville & Unionville	12 x 24	30	15	20	25

KALISPELL & WHITEFISH —



Meetings are more productive in a setting that brings out the best in people, inspires creativity and sparks the imagination. Discover the Flathead Valley in northwest Montana where business and pleasure go hand-in-hand. ✶ Meeting facilities range from secluded, executive retreats in pristine settings to full-service hotels in attractive mountain communities. We'll match your group with just the right property for a memorable meeting—generating high attendance, productivity and a "job well done." ✶ The Flathead Valley encompasses the communities of Kalispell, Whitefish, Bigfork and Columbia Falls. The Valley is the Western gateway to Glacier National Park, offering more than *one million acres of the finest mountain scenery*, more than 50 glaciers, 200 lakes, thousands of waterfalls and 700 miles of trails. Flathead Lake, the largest natural freshwater lake west of the Mississippi, offers 200 square miles of surface area for fishing, sailing, sea kayaking and other water sports and recreation. Your group will want to try our world-class golfing with a backdrop unmatched in the country—particularly in autumn when the days are warm and fall colors of the western larch, maples and aspen accent the mountainsides. ✶ In winter, ski more than 3,000 acres of fresh powder on The Big Mountain, with a variety of runs to satisfy the first-timer or the double black diamond skier.

Upper left: Glacier National Park
COURTESY GLACIER COUNTRY
Upper right: Spectacular Golf
DAVE REESE
Bottom: Flathead Lake
COURTESY FLATHEAD CONVENTION & VISITOR BUREAU

"THE FLATHEAD VALLEY"

A high-speed quad will whisk you to the 7,000 foot summit for a beautiful view of Glacier National Park. Winter visitors also enjoy snowmobiling, cross-country skiing or sleigh rides. Relax in a Western saloon or opt for live music at a lounge or dance club. ✭ Plan a stimulating program and select an equally enticing location. The Flathead boasts quaint Western towns, historical mansions, professional theater, including performances in a new 430-seat performing arts facility, community festivals, watchable wildlife and rip-roaring rodeos. We have more than enough activities to keep your group and their families coming back year after year. ✭ Fly Delta, Northwest and Horizon airlines to Glacier Park International Airport (FCA) at the center of the Valley with easy access to all communities. The area is also served by Amtrak and US 2 and 93. The Flathead Valley is easy to reach, and your group will feel as though they've been able to get away from it all to an area unmatched for its *natural splendor and Western hospitality.*

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
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KALISPELL, MT 59901
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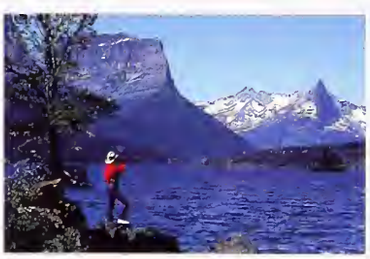

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ROGER WADE
Upper right: The Big Mountain
BOB ALLEN
Bottom: Enjoying Montana
STEVE BLY: COURTESY TRAVEL MONTANA

KALISPELL & WHITEFISH VICINITY

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KALISPELL 59901	**Best Western Outlaw Inn** 1701 US Hwy 93 S. 755-6100 or 800-237-7445 Fax: 756-8994	224	13	12,000	1000	1000	500	1000		★	★	★	✓✓✓	Located minutes from Glacier National Park & all activities that the Flathead Valley has to offer. Northwest Montana's premier convention facility.
	Cavanaugh's at Kalispell Center 20 N. Main 752-6660 or 800-THE-INNS Fax: 752-6628	132	14	9795	750	750	365	620		★	★	★	✓✓✓	Centrally located in downtown Kalispell attached to a 50-store mall. Full-service restaurant, lounge & casino. Professional conference services. Pool, sauna, indoor and outdoor jacuzzi.
WHITEFISH 59937	**Alpinglow Inn** 3900 Big Mountain Road P.O. Box 1770 862-6966 or 800-754-6760 Fax: 862-0076	54	2	1400	300	150	105	135	★	★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Spectacular views surround this hotel. Located in the heart of the Big Mountain Ski Resort, this is the perfect setting for your convention or small meeting. Complimentary breakfast buffet in summer.
	The Big Mountain Ski & Summer Resort 3910 Big Mountain Road P.O. Box 1400 862-1977 or 800-858-5439 Fax: 862-2955 Email: bigmtn@bigmtn.com Internet: www.bigmtn.com/resort/	1550	13	2800	250	250	150	300	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Located 8 miles outside Whitefish, the Big Mountain village offers spectacular views, fine dining and a variety of recreational activities for the whole family such as horseback riding, mountain biking, hiking and gondola rides (summer), and skiing and snowmobiling (winter).
	Edelweiss Condominiums 3898 Big Mountain Road P.O. Box 846 862-5252 or 800-228-8260 Fax: 862-3009 Email: edelweis@digisys.net Internet: www.flathead.com/edelweis/	46							★				✓✓ ✓✓✓	50 condominium units in the heart of the Big Mountain village. Fully furnished units offering spectacular views of the Flathead Valley. Balcony, fireplace in each unit. On-site whirlpool/sauna.
	Grouse Mountain Lodge 2 Fairway Drive 862-3000 or 800-321-8822 Fax: 862-0326	144	7	8043	300	400	250	300	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Adjacent to golf course. Near boating, whitewater rafting, fishing, skiing, snowmobiling & sight-seeing! Near Glacier Park.
	Kandahar Lodge Big Mountain Road P.O. Box 1659 862-6098 or 800-862-6094 Fax: 862-6095 Email: kandahar@vtown.com Internet: www.vtown.com/kandahar	48	2	1500	50	50	40	40-50	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Book your next meeting in our new state-of-the-art conference rooms. We are located in the village area of the Big Mountain Ski Resort. Meetings can be booked all four seasons and will be catered by Cafe Kandahar and their friendly experienced staff.
BIGFORK 59911	**Marina Cay Resort** 180 Vista Lane P.O. Box 663 837-5861 or 800-433-6516 Fax: 837-1118 Internet: www.montanaweb.com/marinacay/	120	6	3500	200	200	90	135	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓	On Bigfork Bay, Flathead Lake. Outdoor pool, two hot tubs, marina, boat rentals, parasailing, restaurant with outside dining, indoor & outdoor lounges, Eagle Bend Golf Course just 1 mile.
POLSON 59860	**Best Western KwaTaqNuk Resort** 303 US Hwy 93 E. P.O. Box 1448 883-3636 or 800-882-6363 Fax: 883-5392	112	4	5047	300	400	230	340		★	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	On Flathead Lake, indoor & outdoor pools, spa, marina. Nearby golf, whitewater rafting, lake cruises & museums.

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MARINA CAY RESORT

180 Vista Ln., Bigfork, MT 59911 406-837-5861 or 800-433-6516 Fax: 406-837-1118 Internet: www.montanaweb.com/marinacay/

120 SLEEPING ROOMS

135 BANQUET CAPACITY

200 CONVENTION CAPACITY

120-room full-service resort, conference center and marina on Flathead Lake. Award-winning Quincys Restaurant, piano lounge and casino. Champs for year-round casual dining, Tiki Bar, in the summer. Meeting space for 10-200. Personal service. 1-3 bedroom condos. Full-service marina with watercraft rentals, parasailing, antique wooden boat for tours and cruises. Within minutes of mountain activities. Close to snowmobiling for winter fun. Picturesque Bigfork is famous for restaurants, art galleries and unique shopping. Eagle Bend Golf Course is just five minutes away.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Gallery A	16 x 36	40	20	20	50
Gallery AB	32 x 36	85	45	50	85
Gallery C	16 x 36	50	45	40	75
Gallery ABC	36 x 48	200	90	120	150

BEST WESTERN OUTLAW INN

1701 US Hwy 93 S., Kalispell, MT 59901 406-755-6100 or 800-237-7445 Fax: 406-756-8994

224 SLEEPING ROOMS

1,000 BANQUET CAPACITY

1,000 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Located in "a place touched by magic," northwest Montana's Flathead Valley is home to the Best Western Outlaw Inn, one of the state's most popular convention centers. Combining some of the world's most spectacular scenery with professional meeting capabilities, the Outlaw Inn has achieved a rare blend of wilderness beauty and convention luxury.

The Outlaw Inn is one of Montana's premier convention hotels with 224 deluxe, spacious guest rooms including suites with mini-refrigerators and over 12,000 square feet of convention space. Our restaurant, Hennessy's, has been a local tradition for over 50 years, offering a delectable array of breakfast, lunch and dinner selections. Meet new friends in the lounge, or try your luck in the gaming casino.

We offer two indoor pools, four jacuzzis, sauna, tennis and racquetball courts, fitness center, children's playground, and beauty and barber salons. Shop in our gift shops or browse through the art gallery. Enjoy our many amenities!

A mix of recreation and business adds spice to any agenda. In the Flathead Valley, that means golf at any one of our nine courses, a dinner cruise on Flathead Lake, sightseeing through Glacier National Park, whitewater rafting, a western rodeo and barbecue, or a scenic chairlift ride to the summit of Montana's largest and most popular ski area, The Big Mountain.

Let our friendly and professional staff assist you in mixing the perfect blend of business with pleasure!

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	ROUNDS
Grand Ballroom	94'6" x 116			1000	600
Stagecoach	88'6" x 51	450	150	400	240
Stagecoach/Running Iron		550		500	256
Stage		200	72	150	96
Coach		225	72	160	96
Outlaw Ballroom	94'6" x 47	450	180	480	256
Outlaw Ballroom/ Running Iron		550		530	256
Remington	27 x 47	100	56	96	80
Winchester	40'6" x 47	200	96	160	128
Colts 44 & 45	27 x 58	100	56	96	88
Colt 44	27 x 33	50	24	48	32
Colt 45	27 x 35	50	24	48	40
Vigilante					
Grubstake	16 x 19	24			
Renagade/Rustler	34 x 19	60	46		
Renagade	17 x 19	30	16		
Rustler	17 x 19	38	16		
Ambush/Dry Gulch	37 x 19	60	46		
Ambush	17 x 19	30	16		
Dry Gulch	20 x 19	38	16		
BootHill	12 x 19	30	20		
Robbers Roost	12 x 19	40	12	28	16
Hideout		60	40	72	48

CAVANAUGH'S AT KALISPELL CENTER

20 N. Main, Kalispell, MT 59901 406-752-6660 or 800-THE-INNS Fax: 406-752-6628

132 SLEEPING ROOMS

620 BANQUET CAPACITY

750 CONVENTION CAPACITY

ROGER WADE

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Centrally located in historical downtown Kalispell, Cavanaugh's at Kalispell Center has everything you desire in a modern hotel and convention center.

Our meeting and convention facilities offer contemporary design and accommodate groups of 10 to 750. Cavanaugh's lobby area has the unique advantage of being attached to Kalispell Center Mall, northwest Montana's largest shopping center. Enjoy breakfast, lunch and dinner in a relaxed garden setting under a 60-foot skylight in The Northwest Bounty Co. restaurant. Relax in our solarium swimming pool, jacuzzis and sauna or enjoy a drink in our beautifully landscaped courtyard. Your delegates can experience a unique Montana atmosphere, fine wine and spirits in our Fireside Lodge or try their luck in our casino.

Cavanaugh's, just minutes from Glacier Park International Airport, features a boundless array of nearby recreation including golf, skiing, sailing, whitewater rafting and a multitude of outdoor activities.

Cavanaugh's friendly and professional staff welcomes the opportunity to make your conference exceed your expectations in every way!

ROGER WADE

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Grand Ballroom	7995 sq. ft.	750	365	620	1000
Big Sky Ballroom	4950	570	263	448	718
Ballroom A	2040	250	120	200	283
Ballroom B	1650	200	80	152	236
Pre-Function	3045	220	100	152	282
Lake McDonald	420	40	21	32	63
Swiftcurrent	420	40	21	32	63
Hanging Gardens	420	40	21	32	63
Triples	1260	120	63	96	189
Doubles	840	80	42	64	126
Glacier	486	50	28	34	50
Big Mountain	450	50	22	28	50
Going-To-The-Sun	450	50	22	28	50
Waterton	414	32	22	28	32

GROUSE MOUNTAIN LODGE

2 Fairway Drive, Whitefish, MT 59937 406-862-3000 or 800-321-8822 Fax: 406-862-0326

144 SLEEPING ROOMS

300 BANQUET CAPACITY

300 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Grouse Mountain Lodge is a 144-room conference resort adjacent to the 36th fairway of the Whitefish Lake Golf Course. The surrounding area abounds in year-round cultural, recreational and sporting opportunities.

Our services include all resort amenities as well as an experienced banquet and catering staff. Full-time concierge services and adventure planning ensure personalized service to each and every guest.

Every group has an opportunity to take advantage of all the Flathead Valley has to offer! The following activities are just a sample of what "Glacier Country" is all about: Glacier National Park, boating and sailing excursions, chuckwagon rides and dinners, whitewater raft and fishing trips, golf at any one of our ten area championship courses, alpine and cross-country skiing, snowmobiling, shopping and sightseeing.

Grouse Mountain Lodge is pleased to offer group and seasonal pricing for everything from conventions, meetings and workshops to retreats, incentives and recreational getaways. Grouse Mountain Lodge, Montana's finest!

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Continental Divide	3600 sq. ft.	400	250	300	300
East Divide	1800	165	100	120	150
West Divide	1800	165	100	120	150
Continental Divide Foyer	680				75
Glacier	1449	150	100	104	100
North Glacier	319	30	20	21	25
Middle Glacier	811	60	48	64	75
South Glacier	319	30	20	21	25
Glacier Foyer	637			60	125
Upper Glacier	1200	125	80	90	90
Nordic	600	50	25	40	40
Alpine	600	50	25	40	40
Upper Glacier Foyer	480				25

MISSOULA

The beautiful Clark Fork River flows through Missoula which is nestled in the hub of five scenic valleys. So attractive a meeting place, famed explorers, Lewis and Clark, chose to spend a winter here. Horizons of spectacular mountains, towering forests and abundant wildlife compliment the *rich vibrant history and culture.* ✱ Missoula is the medical, retail and cultural hub of western Montana. The University of Montana, U.S. Forest Service, wood products and health services are integral components of the economy. ✱ Missoula is a natural for conventions and meetings of all kinds. Whether you're getting together for theatre or a little fishing, meeting indoors or outdoors, the city can host small groups or large conventions up to 3,000 people right along the riverfront. Missoula Children's Theatre, the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, the Smokejumper and Aerial Fire Depot Center and renowned artists all call Missoula their home. ✱ Located along Interstate 90, Missoula's convenient international airport is serviced by Delta, Northwest and Horizon airlines. ✱ Missoula—where *small town hospitality* meets big city sophistication.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
MISSOULA CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU
P.O. BOX 7577-D, 825 EAST FRONT
MISSOULA, MT 59807
406-543-6623 OR 800-526-3465
FAX: 406-543-6625

Upper left: Carousel
CHUCK KAPARICH
Upper right: Clark Fork River in downtown Missoula
PATRICK CLARK
Bottom: Caras Park "Out to Lunch"
TIM COOPER

MISSOULA & VICINITY

		SLEEPING ROOMS	MEETING ROOMS	TOTAL SQUARE FEET	CONVENTION CAPACITY	THEATRE STYLE	CLASSROOM STYLE	BANQUET CAPACITY	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	RESTAURANT	AUDIO/VISUAL	ROOM RATES	
MISSOULA 59802	**Bel-Aire Motel** 300 E. Broadway (59807) 543-3183 or 800-543-3184 Fax: 543-0391	50											✓✓	Bel-Aire Motel is located in downtown, close to the University. We offer HBO, kitchenettes, guest laundry and fitness center.
	Best Western Grant Creek Inn 5280 Grant Creek Road 543-0700 or 888-543-0700 Fax: 543-0777	126	6	3700	320	320	180	260		★		★	✓✓✓	Missoula's newest convention center, built on a hillside overlooking Missoula and a panorama of Montana mountains. Free European-style breakfast buffet, recreation facility. Meeting rooms with windows and patio. Executive board room.
	Doubletree Hotel Missoula/Edgewater 100 Madison Street 728-3100 or 800-222-TREE Fax: 728-2530	171	9	8152	600	920	576	650		★	★	★	✓✓✓	On Clark Fork River, near University of Montana; pool, spa, dining & entertainment, guest voice mail, coffee makers, iron and full-sized ironing board in each room.
	4B's Inn & Conference Center 3803 Brooks Street (59801) 251-2670 or 800-272-9500 Fax: 251-5733	158	12	5400	250	250	160	150	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Adjacent to 18-hole Larchmont Golf Course, home of the Montana Open. Convenient to Southgate Shopping Mall (102 stores), many restaurants, casinos and movie theaters.
	Holiday Inn Express-Riverside 1021 East Broadway 549-7600 Fax: 543-2223	95	1	1000	100	100	65	64		★		★	✓✓	Located on the Clark Fork River with 95 river view rooms consisting of 15 two-room suites with balcony and sliding glass door. Free generous breakfast bar, hair dryers and phones in every bathroom, desk with modem hook-up; fitness center, and business center.
	Holiday Inn Missoula Parkside 200 S. Pattee 721-8550 or 800-399-0408 Fax: 721-7427	200	9	7864	700	600	425	450		★	★	★	✓✓✓	State-of-the-art facilities. Courtesy limousine from airport. Indoor pool & exercise room. Downtown on Clark Fork River near University. Coffee makers, ironing boards, irons in every room.
	The Inn on Broadway 1609 W. Broadway 543-7231 or 800-286-2316 Fax: 728-1930	79	2	2500	100	100	80	100	★	★	★	★	✓✓	Conveniently located between downtown and the airport, across the street from the bus depot. Outdoor pool and patio area, lounge, casino and restaurant serving breakfast and lunch daily.
	Montana Snowbowl Ski & Summer Resort/ Gelandesprung Lodge P.O. Box 8226 1700 Snowbowl Road (59807) 549-9777 or 800-728-2695	20	3	3500	100	100	100	100	★	★			✓	Located in the base area of Snowbowl Ski & Summer Resort only 12 miles from Missoula. Secluded, private and unique. The perfect location for a small meeting or convention. Restaurant/cafeteria facilities available.
	Ruby's Reserve Street Inn 4825 N. Reserve Street 721-0990 or 800-221-2057 Fax: 721-0990 ext. 101	127	6	7714	450	514	400	380		★	★	★	✓✓	Pool surrounded by acres of lush greenery. Spacious & beautiful property with professional, friendly staff. Located on Grant Creek.
GREENOUGH 59836	**Lubrecht Experimental Forest** Box 1 244-5524 Fax: 244-5004 Email: lubrecht@forestry.umt.edu Internet: www.forestry.umt.edu/lubrecht	32	5	3950	80	80	50	60		★	★	★	✓	A designated learning center located in the beautiful Blackfoot River Valley of Montana, it is the University's premier, quiet conference center. Ski trails, hiking, forest ecology environment.
SEELEY LAKE 59868	**The Center at Salmon Lake** HC 31, Box 800 South 243-5556 Fax: 243-5537 Email: jfisher@selway.umt.edu	11	3	1500	25	60	25	25		★ *in progress*		★	✓✓✓✓	Offers an exclusive full-service conference center in a secluded island setting in the Seeley-Swan Valley. Ideally suited for Board of Directors' or strategic planning meetings. CMP rates customized for each group.

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DOUBLETREE HOTEL MISSOULA/EDGEWATER

100 Madison St., Missoula, MT 59802 406-728-3100 or 800-222-TREE Fax: 406-728-2530

171 SLEEPING ROOMS

650 BANQUET CAPACITY

600 CONVENTION CAPACITY

We're right on the scenic Clark Fork River, across from the University of Montana, near the city center and just 15 minutes from the airport via complimentary hotel transportation. Visit the campus, shop downtown or explore Glacier National Park.

Our 171 spacious guest rooms and six suites offer all the service and amenities you'd expect of a first-class hotel, including guest voice mail, laundry, valet and room service.

Meeting facilities include nine separate rooms totaling 8,152 square feet, including a ballroom for up to 800 people. Professional conference specialists will take care of all your needs, including audio/visual equipment and full-service catering.

Enjoy a river view while dining on Northwest specialties at the Edgewater Restaurant. The Coffee Garden provides casual dining all day long. Relax at the Edgewater Lounge or catch some sun on the Lounge Deck overlooking the river. Work out in the fitness room or relax in our swimming pool and hot tub. Golf, hunting, fishing and skiing are all nearby.

Whether you visit us for business or pleasure, we welcome you with friendly service and, of course, Doubletree's signature chocolate chip cookies.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Doubletree Ballroom	6345 sq. ft.	800	500	650	1100
Blackfoot	1989	200	120	150	250
Bitterroot	1989	200	120	150	250
Bitterroot/Blackfoot	3672	475	300	350	600
Russell	693	65	40	50	75
Lewis	726	65	40	50	75
Clark	693	65	40	50	75
Russell/Lewis	1419	145	90	120	175
Russell/Lewis/Clark	2112	200	120	180	250
Canyon	760	75	45	55	90
Riverside	247	20	16		20
Montana	400	50	30		60
University	400	50	30		60
University/Montana	800	100	60		125

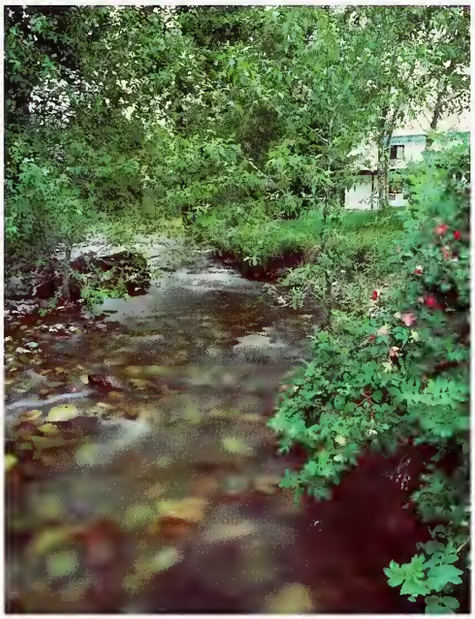
RUBY'S RESERVE STREET INN

4825 N. Reserve St., Missoula, MT 59802 406-721-0990 or 800-221-2057 Fax: 406-721-0990 ext. 101

127 SLEEPING ROOMS

380 BANQUET CAPACITY

450 CONVENTION CAPACITY



Everywhere you look—indoors and out—there's a sense of spaciousness and beauty. We help plan and implement meetings quietly, peacefully and professionally. Our friendly staff anticipates and makes sure your meeting is a custom fit with every detail taken care of with a smile.

Specialties of our unique conference center include conferences for up to 250 people, multi-day educational seminars, board meetings and retreats. At Ruby's Reserve Street Inn, we have a way of naturally blending the indoors with the outdoors, so your meeting will not only be successful, it will be memorable!

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
#200	28 x 16	25	22	22	30
#300	48 x 26	82	80	65	100
#400	56 x 19	125	120	120	130
#500	56 x 28	125	120	120	130
#600	56 x 28	125	110	100	130
#700	36 x 19	55	40	48	60
Conference Center	56 x 56	250	240	240	260
Pre-Function	70 x 14				100

WEST YELLOWSTONE

Located at the West Entrance to Yellowstone National Park, West Yellowstone specializes in four-season tourism. Visitors come to enjoy recreational opportunities in the national park and surrounding national forests, and they find this mountain community a charming place to stay. The Museum of the Yellowstone features exhibits on the bears of Yellowstone, Western history, Indian artifacts and regional wildlife. The Grizzly Discovery Center, an educational facility devoted to preserving the grizzly bear, offers visitors an opportunity to observe these great bears alive in the Discovery Center's habitat. The ultimate motion picture experience is available year-round at the Yellowstone Imax® Theater where visitors can see the grandeur of Yellowstone on the six-story giant screen. Numerous shops offer gifts and souvenirs, arts and crafts, Western wear and sporting goods. There is *live entertainment nightly* at acclaimed summer playhouses. Winter enthusiasts follow the many cross-country ski and snowmobile trails in the area. West Yellowstone is *a mecca for fly fishing aficionados.* Some of the country's top trout streams are within fifty miles of town. Yellowstone National Park is right next door. Geysers, boiling mud pools, deep canyons, placid lakes and incredible wildlife create an unforgettable experience. Day trips to surrounding attractions include Red Rock Lakes National Wildlife Refuge, home of rare trumpeter swans. A visitor's center tells the story of the earthquake that dammed the Madison River, creating Quake Lake. Hebgen Lake Recreation Area offers swimming, boating and fishing. Air service to West Yellowstone is provided by Sky West Airlines June through September. Join us for a day or for a week. You'll be glad you came.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
WEST YELLOWSTONE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
P.O. BOX 458
WEST YELLOWSTONE, MT 59758
406-646-7701; FAX: 406-646-9691

Upper left: Snowmobiling
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Upper right: Hebgen Lake
KEN TAKATA
Bottom: Centennial Valley
KEN TAKATA

WEST YELLOWSTONE & VICINITY

		SLEEPING ROOMS	MEETING ROOMS	TOTAL SQUARE FEET	CONVENTION CAPACITY	THEATRE STYLE	CLASSROOM STYLE	BANQUET CAPACITY	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	RESTAURANT	AUDIO/VISUAL	ROOM RATES	
WEST YELLOWSTONE 59758	**Stage Coach Inn** 209 Madison Avenue P.O. Box 169 646-7381 or 800-842-2882 Fax: 646-9575 Email: sci@yellowstoneinn.com Internet: www.yellowstoneinn.com	86	3	3000	100	100	75	150	★	★	★	★	✓ ✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	West Entrance to Yellowstone Park, historic full-service inn, Western decor, restaurant, spa and sauna, poker, heated underground parking, gift shop, group rates available.
	Three Bear Lodge 217 Yellowstone Avenue P.O. Box 1590 646-7353 or 800-646-7353 Fax: 646-4567	74	1	2100	75	75	40	75	★	★	★	★	✓✓✓	Summer & winter destination at the West gate of Yellowstone. New rooms with air conditioning. Family rooms & executive suites. Outdoor pool & indoor whirlpools. Banquet facilities.
	West Yellowstone Conference Hotel/Holiday Inn SunSpree Resort 315 Yellowstone Avenue P.O. Box 470 800-646-7365 or 800-HOLIDAY Fax: 646-4433	123	12	10,000	500	500	350	500		★	★	★	✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Located 3 blocks from the West Entrance to Yellowstone. Indoor pool, jacuzzi, sauna, fitness room, restaurant, lounge, conference facilities, gift shop. Mini-fridge, microwave, coffee maker, hair dryer, personal computer/fax data port.
	Yellowstone Holiday Resort 16990 Hebgen Lake Road P.O. Box 759 646-4242 or 800-643-4227 Fax: 646-7400 Email: manship@wyellowstone.com Internet: www.wyellowstone.com/clients/yhr/yhr.htm	18							★				✓✓	Lakeshore cabins and marina suitable for outings.

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STAGE COACH INN

209 Madison Ave., West Yellowstone, MT 59758 406-646-7381 or 800-842-2882 Fax: 406-646-9575
Internet: www.yellowstoneinn.com

86 SLEEPING ROOMS

150 BANQUET CAPACITY

100 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Yellowstone National Park and Stage Coach Inn—the perfect combination for your convention! Located at the West Entrance to Yellowstone National Park, our historic full-service Inn has the rare ambience of yesterday with the amenities of today.

We offer a large knotty pine lobby with fireplace, rooms with a Western decor, acclaimed restaurant, spa and sauna, friendly lounge with licensed poker, heated underground parking and a gift shop.

Experience Yellowstone and the hospitality of the Stage Coach Inn.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Eagle	26 x 33	50	32	50	60
Barrel	40 x 60	100	75	150	225

THE WEST YELLOWSTONE CONFERENCE HOTEL/ HOLIDAY INN SUNSPREE RESORT

315 Yellowstone Ave., West Yellowstone, MT 59758 800-646-7365 or 800-HOLIDAY Fax: 406-646-4433

123 SLEEPING ROOMS

500 BANQUET CAPACITY

500 CONVENTION CAPACITY

The West Yellowstone Conference Hotel offers everything you need for a memorable event. Located just three blocks from Yellowstone National Park's West Entrance, this resort is the newest and most complete convention facility adjacent to the Park.

We offer superb facilities for groups as small as 10 or as large as 500. Our professional staff takes the guesswork out of your event, handling all details including meeting room setup, coffee breaks, recreation, special events and full banquets.

Our 123 spacious rooms offer a range of luxury appointments and floor plans, including deluxe executive, Jacuzzi® and family suites. All rooms include mini-fridges, microwaves, hair dryers, in-room coffee makers and sofas, as well as access to our exercise room, hot tub, sauna and indoor pool.

The hotel also features the Oregon Short Line Restaurant and the Iron Horse Saloon, a lively restaurant/ lounge area themed after the restored 1903 Executive Rail Car.

West Yellowstone offers a variety of activities just minutes away from the hotel, including the nearby IMAX Theater, the Grizzly Discovery Center and live performances at the Playmill Theater. Outdoor steak barbecues and horseback riding at our Parade Rest Guest Ranch and pre- and post-conference tours of Yellowstone are a specialty. Area whitewater rafting and fly fishing opportunities also abound. In winter, we offer the area's most complete snowmobile rentals, as well as snowcoach and snowmobile tours.

GARRY WUNDERWALD

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Hayden Hall	4,171 sq. ft.	450	350	350	400
Yellowstone	4,836	500	240	390	450
Geyser	1612	150	80	130	150
Canyon	806	75	40	65	75
Dunraven	806	75	40	65	75
Electric	806	75	40	65	75
Faithful	806	75	40	65	75
Upper Berth	270	24		24	24
Board Room	288			20	
Caboose	432	24		24	24
#123	252	20	15	16	20
#125	252	20	15	16	20
#121	168	12	12	12	12

GUEST RANCHES

R. VALENTINE ATKINSON

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All of Montana's guest ranches and resorts have one thing in common: a spectacular setting. Choose your favorite, from a forested wilderness lake to a working ranch on the wide-open prairie, from luxurious coddling to rustic comfort. Guest ranches and resorts can be ideal locations for workshops or board retreats. You'll find plenty of privacy for meetings, then ample opportunity to get away and think. There are delightful *options for every season.* Cross-country ski guides lead you to cozy backcountry cabins. Gourmet chefs present culinary delights. Trail guides take you on horseback to *breathtaking* autumn vistas. Working cowboys show you how to throw a lariat. Boat captains name the high peaks surrounding a lake. Bring your binoculars and view watchable wildlife. Tee off under the peaks. Soak in hot springs under the stars. Cast a line into a stream. Relax around a roaring fire. Soak up some sunshine under the Big Sky.

GLACIER COUNTRY

		MAXIMUM GROUP	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	AUDIO/VISUAL	TRANSPORTATION	CLOSEST AIRPORT	MEALS INCLUDED	ACTIVITIES INCLUDED	ROOM RATES	
BIGFORK **59911**	**Flathead Lake Lodge** Flathead Lake Lodge Road P.O. Box 248 837-4391; Fax: 837-6977 Email: fll@digisys.net	90	★	★	★	★	Kalispell 22 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Cozy log lodges and 20 cabins situated on 2000 acres directly on the shores of beautiful Flathead Lake. Recreation includes horseback riding, lake cruises, tennis, sailing, canoeing, fishing and much more. Mobile Four Star Rating. Only 35 miles south of Glacier National Park.
CLINTON **59825**	**Elkhorn Guest Ranch** 408 Rock Creek Road 825-3220; Fax: 825-3224 Internet: www.montana.com/elkhorn	25	★				Missoula 25 miles			✓✓	Two private miles on blue-ribbon Rock Creek. An easy ½ hour from Missoula. Gourmet food, wilderness setting and views.
COLUMBIA FALLS **59912**	**Meadow Lake Resort** 100 St. Andrews Drive 892-7601 or 800-321-GOLF Fax: 892-0330 Email: mdwlake@meadowlake.com; Internet: www.meadowlake.com	125	★	★	★	★	Kalispell 7 miles			✓✓✓✓	Minutes from Glacier National Park, The Big Mountain and Flathead Lake. Luxurious lodging and championship golf, amenities include a restaurant and lounge, meeting facilities, pools, spas, fitness center and complimentary airport shuttle.
DARBY **59829**	**Alta Meadow Ranch** 9975 West Fork Road 349-2464 or 800-808-2464 Fax: 349-2464 Email: Britt@conectnet.com	14	★				Missoula 100 miles			✓✓✓✓	Experience the heart of a vast northern Rocky Mountain wilderness in complete comfort—year round. Perfect for small groups seeking splendid isolation, serene mountain beauty and a touch of natural elegance.
HAMILTON **59840**	**Starfire Farm Lodge** 387 Fleet Street 363-6240 or 800-757-2041 ext. 5720 Fax: 363-6240 *1 Email: montananet.com; Internet: www.montananet.com/star/fire.htm	16	★		★		Missoula 65 miles	★	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	An upscale intimate retreat or seminar facility with a cozy home atmosphere. Bed and breakfast or catered gourmet meals. Wooded creekside setting, condominiums, meeting room, gazebo overlooking stocked trout pond, unlimited recreation nearby.

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GUEST RANCHES

		MAXIMUM GROUP	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	AUDIO/VISUAL	TRANSPORTATION	CLOSEST AIRPORT	MEALS INCLUDED	ACTIVITIES INCLUDED	ROOM RATES	
LOLO **59847**	**Lolo Hot Springs Resort** 38500 US Hwy 12 West 273-2201		★	★			Missoula 40 miles		★	✓ ✓✓	Lewis & Clark Historical Site. Year-round facilities include saloon, restaurant and gallery, natural mineral hot springs, pools and lodging. Near horseback rides, hiking, hunting and fishing.
OVANDO **59854**	**Lake Upsata Guest Ranch** 135 Lake Upsata Road P.O. Box 6 793-5890 or 800-594-7687 Fax: 793-5894	25	★		★	★	Missoula 45 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Beautiful mountain lake. Wildlife programs, fly fishing lessons, whitewater rafting, horseback, swimming, canoeing. Ideal for private seminars or retreats.
SEELEY LAKE **59868**	**Double Arrow Resort** MT Hwy 83, Milepost 12 P.O. Box 747 677-2777 or 800-468-0777 Fax: 677-2922	100	★	★	★	★	Missoula 50 miles		★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Escape the interruptions of phone & TV – schedule your next retreat or meeting with us. Nestled in the heart of Seeley Swan Valley. Offers the perfect atmosphere for successful meetings & retreats. Special activities & programs can be arranged to enhance your function.
	Wapiti Resort/Elkhorn Motel MT Hwy 83, Milepost 16 P.O. Box 565 677-2775 or 800-867-5678 Fax: 273-2640	100	★	★	★	★	Missoula 55 miles		★	✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Make your meeting, wedding, family reunion or private getaway an event to remember in our "Olde Town" setting by the lake. Cabins, motel, unique food/ beverage catering. Nature trails, water activities, recreational equipment, historic museum.
TREGO **59934**	**Tucker's Inn** 220 Fortine Creek Road P.O. Box 220 882-4200 or 800-500-3541 Fax: 882-4201 Email: tuckrinn@Libby.org Internet: www.tuckersinn.com	62	★	★	★		Kalispell 56 miles	★	★	✓ ✓✓ ✓✓✓	New full-service log-style lodge and cabins nestled in the majestic Kootenai mountains. Open year-round. Wilderness adventures include horseback riding, fly fishing, whitewater rafting, mountain biking, snowmobiling, downhill and cross-country skiing. Executive jacuzzi suite ideal for the guest speaker or honeymooners.
VICTOR **59875**	**Bear Creek Lodge** 1184 Bear Creek Trail 642-3750 or 800-270-5550 Fax: 642-6847 Email: info@bear-creek-lodge.com Internet: www.bear-creek-lodge.com	16	★		★		Missoula 45 miles	★		✓✓✓✓	A mountain hideaway nestled at the edge of the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness, providing a civilized approach to a wilderness experience. The exquisite log lodge has just 8 guest rooms, all with private bath, a conference room and a lovely common space around a stone fireplace.
WEST GLACIER **59936**	**Great Northern Whitewater Rafting Resort** 12127 US Highway 2 P.O. Box 278 387-5340 or 800-735-7897 Fax: 387-9007 Email: Whiteh2o@digisys.net Internet: GNWHITEWATER.COM	200	★	★	★	★	Kalispell 20 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Whitewater rafting and excellent catering options for small and large corporate groups. Located at the west gateway to Glacier National Park in the Flathead Valley. Daily river trips accommodating groups up to 200. Whitewater and scenic trips can be fully catered. Beautiful landscaped views and sun deck.
WHITEFISH **59937**	**Whitefish Lake Lodge Resort & Marina** 1399 Wisconsin Avenue 862-2929 or 800-735-8869 Fax: 862-3550; Email: wfll@digisys.net Internet: wfll.com	100	★	★	★		Kalispell 11 miles		★	✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Located on beautiful Whitefish Lake, each condominium unit has all the modern conveniences of home. Cable TV, fireplaces, air conditioning, full kitchens, large spacious living, dining rooms and balconies with fantastic lake views. Pool, spas, lakefront beach and marina. Hotel-style rooms also available.
GOLD WEST COUNTRY											
ALDER **59710**	**Tate's Upper Canyon Ranch** 24 Miles South of Alder P.O. Box 109 842-5775 or 800-735-3973	50	★	★	★	★	Bozeman 90 miles	★	★	✓✓	Perfect retreat ranch sits between three mountain ranges with Ruby River running through property. Fly fishing and fly fishing lessons, horseback riding, family activities. Near Yellowstone Park, Virginia City & whitewater rafting. Comfortable accommodations in lodge or in private cabins with kitchens. Convention center for meetings and group gatherings.
TWIN BRIDGES **59754**	**Healing Waters Lodge** 270 Tuke Lane 684-5960 Fax: 684-5180 Email: gLILLY@3rivers.net	10	★		★	★	Butte 50 miles	★		✓✓✓	Peaceful, country setting. Lodge was built as the Sheridan hospital in 1890. In 1984 the old hospital was converted into one of the most beautiful lodges in Montana. Small group packages a specialty.
RUSSELL COUNTRY											
CHOTEAU **59422**	**Pine Butte Guest Ranch** HC58 Box 34C 466-2158; Fax: 466-2254	25	★		★	★	Great Falls 90 miles	★		✓✓✓	Owned by The Nature Conservancy. Pristine, private setting. Rustic cabins with stone fireplaces & full, private baths. Exceptional, high-quality fare.
UTICA **59452**	**Circle Bar Guest Ranch** HCR 81- Box 61 423-5454; Fax: 423-5686 Email: cbr@circlebarranch.com Internet: www.circlebarranch.com	35	★	★	★	★	Great Falls 90 miles	★	★	✓	Experience Montana's "Old West hospitality." Centrally located, the Little Belt Mountains provide a spectacular setting for productive meetings, retreats and conventions. Comfortable lodging, upscale ranch meals and indoor hot tub. Groups accommodated September through May.
YELLOWSTONE COUNTRY											
BIG SKY **59716**	**Lone Mountain Ranch** Lone Mountain Access Road P.O. Box 160069 995-4644 or 800-514-4644 Fax: 995-4670 Email: lmr@lmranch.com Internet: www.lmranch.com	100	★		★	★	Bozeman 50 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	The perfect secluded setting for conferences or retreats. Our staff of trained naturalists & guides share an enthusiasm for the secrets of Yellowstone Country along with an intense love of outdoor sports. They will eagerly help you discover both.

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	Rainbow Ranch Lodge US Hwy 191, Milepost 43 P.O. Box 160336 995-4132 or 800-937-4132 Fax: 995-2861; Internet: www.rainbowranch.com	50	★	★		★	Bozeman 45 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Luxurious guest lodge overlooking the Gallatin River. Gourmet restaurant & lounge. Cozy suites with private decks, four poster lodge pole beds & jacuzzi tubs. Trout fishing, horseback riding, hiking from property. Skiing, golf, tennis, rafting minutes away. Eleven miles from Yellowstone National Park.
	320 Guest Ranch US Hwy 191, Milepost 36 205 Buffalo Horn Creek (59730) 995-4283 or 800-243-0320 Fax: 995-4694; Internet: www.gomontana.com/320guestranch.html	200	★	★	★	★	Bozeman 50 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Open year-round. On the Gallatin River, 5 miles from Yellowstone National Park. Deluxe conference center. Log cabins. Historic restaurant & saloon. Chuckwagon dinners. Horseback riding, fishing, hiking, guided fly fishing trips. Sleigh rides, skiing, snowmobiling & more.
EMIGRANT **59027**	**B Bar Guest Ranch** 818 Tom Miner Creek Road 848-7523; Fax: 848-7793 Email: melmoroney@aol.com	28	★	★	★		Bozeman 80 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Freshly picked produce from our organic gardens and ranch-raised beef are among the staples of the "high country" cuisine served at our working ranch just north of Yellowstone Park.
	Mountain Sky Guest Ranch Big Creek Road P.O. Box 1128, Bozeman, MT 59715 587-1244 or 800-548-3392 Fax: 333-4911; Email: mountainsky@mcn.net	70	★	★	★	★	Bozeman 60 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Our experienced staff and modern conference facilities help your meeting run smoothly so you're free to concentrate on other activities such as tennis, volleyball, softball, horseshoes, heated pool, jacuzzi, hiking, fishing, rafting & Yellowstone Park (only 30 miles away).
GALLATIN GATEWAY **59730**	**Elkhorn Ranch** 33133 Gallatin Road 995-4291; Fax available	30	★		★	★	Bozeman 55 miles	★	★	✓✓✓✓	Private guest ranch at northwest corner of Yellowstone Park. Rustic comfort in serene setting promotes focus on your meeting objectives. Horseback riding & fly fishing available.
LIVINGSTON **59047**	**Jumping Rainbow Ranch** 110 Jumping Rainbow Road 222-5425; Fax: 222-5508 Email: jrr@mcn.net; Internet: http://www.mcn.net/~jrr/	30	★	★	★	★	Bozeman 26 miles			✓✓✓	Eight miles south of Livingston, Paradise Valley's newest private, full-service fly fishing ranch. Along 1 mile of the Yellowstone River, with 7 private ponds and a spring creek.
	CUSTER COUNTRY										
BRIDGER **59014**	**Lonesome Spur Guest Ranch** 141 Schwend Road RR1 Box 1160 662-3460; Fax: 662-3460	150	★			★	Billings 45 miles	★	★	✓ ✓✓ ✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	5th-generation working cattle ranch, located in the Clarks Fork Valley between the Beartooth Mountains and the Pryor Mountains. Meeting areas (inside and out), cabins, teepees, horseback riding, hiking, wagon rides, pitch fork fondues, barbecues. 45 minutes from Billings, 30 minutes to Red Lodge.
FORT SMITH **59035**	**Bighorn River Country Lodge** 3 miles north of Fort Smith, Canal Rd. P.O. Box 7795 666-2331; Email: warren@nemont.com Internet: flyfishing.com/billboard/bighorn	14	★	★		★	Billings 90 miles	★		✓✓✓✓	Quiet, secluded location, close to Bighorn River access. Personal service, gourmet dining, outdoor jacuzzi, short distance to local historical sites. Bighorn Canyon only 13 miles away. Call for reservations.

DOUBLE ARROW RESORT

MT Hwy 83, Milepost 12, Seeley Lake, MT 59868 406-677-2777 or 800-468-0777 Fax: 406-677-2922

Nestled in the heart of the Seeley Swan Valley and surrounded by beautiful mountains, the Double Arrow Resort offers the perfect atmosphere for successful meetings and retreats.

We offer four unique meeting rooms that accommodate from 15-80 people. A variety of meal plans include breakfast, lunch and dinner buffets as well as sit-down menus.

Recreation includes golf, horseback riding, fly fishing/float trips, indoor pool and jacuzzi, tennis, water crafts, canoeing and much more. In addition, we can arrange special activities and programs to enhance your meeting or function. Call our conference coordinator today. We look forward to hearing from you!

NEW CONFERENCE CENTER

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Blackfoot	28 x 40	100	60	100+	100+
Hilltop	18 x 34	40	25	30	
Lounge	18 x 18	20	15	30	
Lodge Great Hall	30 x 50			100	100

FLATHEAD LAKE LODGE

P.O. Box 248, Bigfork, MT 59911 406-837-4391 Fax: 406-837-6977

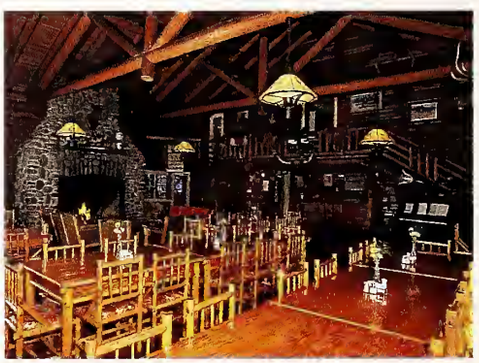
90 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Flathead Lake Lodge is nestled on the shores of beautiful Flathead Lake, the largest natural lake in the West. Owned and operated by the Averill family since 1945, the lodge offers a unique atmosphere for productive meetings and retreats.

Our all-inclusive packages include meals, accommodations, recreation and meeting rooms. In the spacious main lodge, enjoy family-style cuisine featuring fine cuts of meat, fresh vegetables, homemade breads and desserts. Enjoy the cozy ambience of our large log lodges or one of our cottages. Recreation includes horse-back riding, lake cruises, tennis, canoeing, sailing, fishing and much more. Our three meeting rooms accommodate from 30-120 people comfortably, all with soft seating, views of the lake and all amenities.

We pride ourselves on working very closely with each group, customizing each stay with your proposed agenda. Whether you meet all or part of the day, we like each group to use as much of our unique facility as possible. Take a half-day trip to nearby Glacier National Park or golf the 27-hole award-winning Eagle Bend Golf Course, only three miles away.

Come enjoy Montana and Flathead Lake Lodge!



LONE MOUNTAIN RANCH

P.O. Box 160069, Big Sky, MT 59716 406-995-4644 or 800-514-4644 Fax: 406-995-4670
Internet: www.lmranch.com

100 CONVENTION CAPACITY

BILL BROCKETT

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High in the mountains of the greater Yellowstone ecosystem, in a small valley near the village of Big Sky, Montana, lies a guest ranch that will provide the perfect secluded setting for your conference or retreat. Lone Mountain Ranch provides the unique warmth of a historic guest ranch with all of the amenities and modern conveniences needed for productive meetings.

Our package includes all meals, lodging, meeting rooms, a wide variety of recreational activities and transportation from the Bozeman airport, which is easily accessed throughout the country.

Mealtime is one highlight of your stay. Lone Mountain cuisine is distinguished by its freshness, variety and originality. From delicious dinners served in our spectacular log dining lodge to Western barbecue feasts cooked out in the fragrant mountain air. One of your group's favorite memories of Lone Mountain Ranch will be our wonderful meals.

We have two meeting rooms with the ability to accommodate from 20 to 100 people. Audio-visual equipment is available. With meeting room and six large bedrooms, our elegant new Ridgetop Lodge is ideal for small business conferences or board meetings. Our staff will work with you to customize a stay to your particular needs.

When it's time for fun and relaxation, Lone Mountain Ranch is the perfect spot. Our staff of trained naturalists and guides all share a boundless enthusiasm for the secrets of Yellowstone Country along with an intense love of outdoor sports, which they will eagerly help you discover. Walk backcountry trails and visit nearby Yellowstone Park. Explore the grandeur of mountain peaks atop a horse or experience local blue-ribbon trout streams with one of our ORVIS endorsed fly fishing guides.

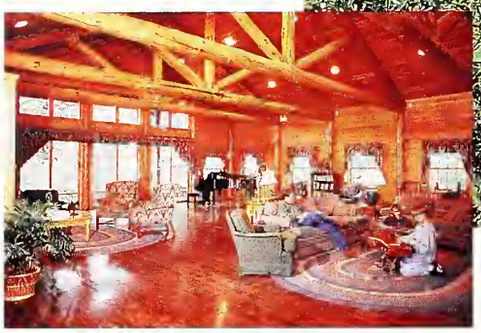
Lone Mountain Ranch is the ideal location to explore this very special region. With its brilliant autumn foliage, and Yellowstone without the summer crowds, fall is an ideal time to consider for your group stay.

Above all else, the Ranch is an oasis of hospitality in a world that sometimes seems to have forgotten the simple pleasures of warmth and camaraderie. Call us to plan your next meeting so we can welcome you to Lone Mountain Ranch soon!

MOUNTAIN SKY GUEST RANCH

P.O. Box 1128, Bozeman, MT 59715 406-587-1244 or 800-548-3392 Fax: 406-333-4911

70 CONVENTION CAPACITY



A warm Montana welcome awaits you and your group here at Mountain Sky Guest Ranch, where you'll find all the ingredients to create the perfect meeting.

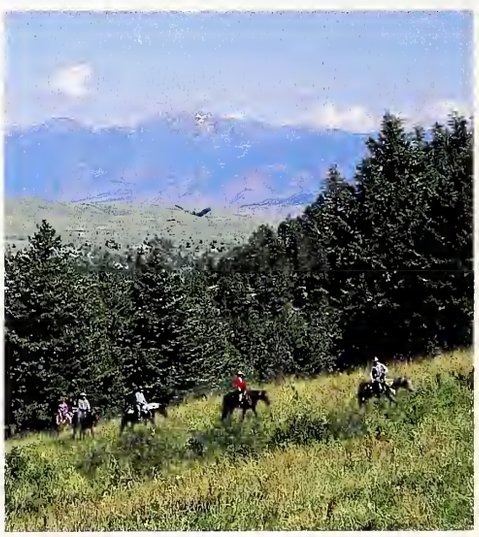
Nestled high in the Rocky Mountains overlooking a spectacular valley named Paradise, our ranch offers the ideal location for a meeting you will always remember. Time spent in this true wilderness setting never fails to inspire energetic, productive meetings.

You'll also find everything here you'd expect to find at any modern conference center.

Meeting rooms that can accommodate groups up to 70. Audio-visual equipment. Food service that runs the spectrum from continental gourmet dinners in our main lodge with its three stone fireplaces to Western barbecues around a campfire under the stars. And a very experienced, trained staff that can take the worries out of your day so you can concentrate on getting the job done and enjoying your stay.

And, when it comes to having a good time, you and your guests can choose from a long list of activities. In addition to the championship tennis courts, volleyball, softball and horseshoe contests around the ranch, you can relax in our heated pool and jacuzzi. Our staff can also plan some Montana experiences that make living in this country so very special. Trail rides that take you high into the backcountry to enjoy spectacular vistas. An exhilarating raft trip down the legendary Yellowstone River. World-class trout fishing. An afternoon hike down the shady banks of a mountain creek. Or maybe, a day to explore the wonders of Yellowstone Park, only 30 miles south of the ranch.

We think you'll agree. Mountain Sky Guest Ranch has everything you'll need to put together an exciting conference. It's also a gateway to experiences you won't soon forget. So give us a call to reserve a time for your next meeting. Then dust off those cowboy boots, and grab your jeans and hat. We'll be anxious to meet you this season here at the ranch.



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320 GUEST RANCH

US Hwy 191, Milepost 36, 205 Buffalo Horn Creek, Big Sky, MT 59730 406-995-4283 or 800-243-0320 Fax: 406-995-4694
Internet: www.gomontana.com/320guestranch.html

200 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Nestled in the majestic Gallatin National Forest, the 320 Guest Ranch offers an ideal setting and all the modern conveniences for memorable retreats and productive meetings. Uniquely located on the Gallatin River, 5 miles north of the Yellowstone National Park boundary and 12 miles south of Big Sky Ski Resort, the ranch is surrounded by some of the most spectacular scenery in North America.

There is easy access to the 320 Ranch by air and ground transportation. The ranch is adjacent to US Hwy. 191, 50 miles south of the Bozeman airport. Special airfares and airport shuttle service are available.

The 320 Ranch's facilities are open year-round. The new conference center of log construction accommodates groups of 200. There are 60 luxurious log cabins, ranging from one-room units to three-bedroom log homes, and a historic restaurant & saloon with widely acclaimed dining on the banks of Buffalo Horn Creek. Other facilities include an indoor riding arena, outdoor jacuzzi, trout pond and much more.

Summer activities available on the ranch include backcountry horseback riding, trout fishing, hiking, biking, horseshoes and volleyball. Chuckwagon dinners are a specialty. Wild Trout Outfitters & Guide Service, based at the 320 Ranch, provides guided fly fishing trips of all types: horseback trips to alpine lakes, float trips on the Madison and Yellowstone rivers, walk/wade trips on the Gallatin River and other nearby trout streams. Yellowstone National Park, whitewater rafting, kayaking, golf and tennis are all available within 15 minutes or less.

Winter is a special treat at the 320 Ranch. Horse-drawn sleigh rides are a highlight of each evening. Wildlife is plentiful. Whatever your pleasure in winter sports, you will find it here. There's snowmobiling, downhill skiing at Big Sky Ski Resort, cross-country skiing in the backcountry or on groomed trail systems nearby, snowcoach tours in Yellowstone National Park, dog-sled trip adventures, wildlife/naturalist tours, snowshoeing and more.

Between meetings, relax in a jacuzzi, feast in the historic restaurant & saloon, hike and fish right out your front door, shuttle to the ski slopes or ride to the top of the world on horseback or a snowmobile. You'll find this the ideal place to renew purpose, stimulate the senses and invigorate the soul. At the 320 Guest Ranch, every season offers more!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
Internet: www.gomontana.com/320guestranch.html

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Camden	27 x 33	80	50	70	120
Brask	19 x 21	40	25	35	60
Jackson	27 x 33	80	50	70	120
Combined Conference Center	73 x 33	200	125	175	300
Dining Room				60	100
Historic Saloon				30	50
Outdoor Deck				50	80

MEADOW LAKE RESORT

100 St. Andrews Drive, Columbia Falls, MT 59912 406-892-7601 or 800-321-GOLF FAX: 406-892-0330
Internet: www.meadowlake.com

90 CONVENTION CAPACITY

Meadow Lake is one of the finest golf resorts in the Northern Rockies, located just minutes from Glacier National Park, The Big Mountain and Flathead Lake. The resort boasts an 18-hole championship course designed by Richard Phelps, which takes advantage of the pristine natural setting. An ideal setting for your small to mid-sized group function.

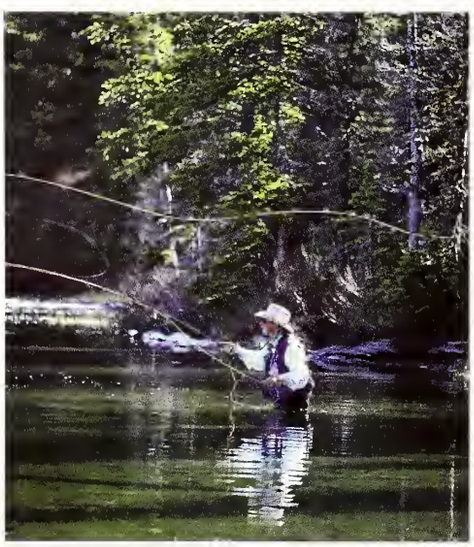
Guests are sure to enjoy the luxurious lodging available at Meadow Lake, of which includes inn rooms, condominiums and vacation homes. Amenities at the resort include a restaurant/lounge, catering service, pools, spas, fitness center, tennis, ice skating, cross-country skiing, complimentary airport shuttle and children's activity programs.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Mountain View Room	1,451 sq. ft.	125	75	90	125
Lakeview Room	350 sq. ft.		14	14	

RAINBOW RANCH LODGE

US Hwy 191, Milepost 43, Big Sky, MT 59716 406-995-4132 or 800-937-4132 Fax: 406-995-2861
Internet: www.rainbowranch.com



DENVER BRYAN

50 CONVENTION CAPACITY

As guests stand on their private balcony at The Rainbow Ranch Lodge the first sound they hear is the rushing waters of the Gallatin River. Nestled in a canyon between the Gallatin and Madison Ranges on the banks of this majestic river, the Lodge is located 40 miles south of Bozeman in magnificent Big Sky and 11 miles north of the nationally treasured Yellowstone National Park.

Minutes away from this luxurious lodge, guests have access to world class alpine and extreme skiing at Big Sky Resort. Cross-country skiing that includes over 100 km of natural wilderness trails, hiking, biking, rafting, kayaking, rock climbing, tennis and golf are just minutes away. Horseback riding is located directly on the property, and blue-ribbon trout fishing is available in our own backyard.

The Rainbow Room comfortably accommodates 40 people and the rustic Riverside meeting room on the banks of the Gallatin overlooking magnificent national forest land accommodates 25-30 people.

After a full day of meetings, guests can return to the elegantly inviting lodge with its friendly, attentive staff and enjoy a jacuzzi, a drink at our Western bar or just relax in a comfortable chair by the warmth of the stone fireplace. Following a gourmet dinner in our dining room, guests will retire to a cozy bedroom that provides all the comforts of home. With its four poster lodge pole beds and plump comforters, it provides the perfect ending to one of many perfect days.

MEETING ROOM DETAILS

ROOM	DIMENSIONS	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
Rainbow	24 x 36	40	40	40	75
Riverside	22 x 30	30	30	30	50

BED & BREAKFAST INNS

DONNIE SEXTON

Bed and breakfast accommodations are for travelers who appreciate the personal touch. Choose from elegantly restored Victorian mansions to authentic Western ranch homes to remodeled country estates. ✭ *Comfort and hospitality are commonplace.* Sink into a feather bed, sip a brandy on the porch, play the piano, chat with other guests in the living room, or luxuriate in the deep water of that full-length clawfoot bathtub. Select privacy in your room or suite of rooms, or mingle with fellow travelers in a comfortably furnished common room. You'll find interesting books, maps and other pertinent information available for your enjoyment. ✭ Reserve the common room for a small-group seminar, or ask your hosts to prepare a meeting room. Business can be a real pleasure when conducted in fine surroundings. ✭ The delightfulness of bed and breakfast accommodations comes from their variety. *Each is as unique as the owners,* and those owners are Montanans who are excited about sharing their corner of Montana with you.

		MAXIMUM GROUP	DEPOSIT REQUIRED	HANDICAPPED	AUDIO/VISUAL	TRANSPORTATION	CLOSEST AIRPORT	ACTIVITIES INCLUDED	ROOM RATES	
GLACIER COUNTRY										
KALISPELL 59901	**Soirée Lodge, B&B, Conference Center** 420 Lindsey Lane 257-5770 Fax: 257-5771 Email: soiree@cyberport.net Internet: www.cyberport.net/SOIREE-LODGE	12	★		★		Kalispell 15 miles	★	✓✓ ✓✓✓	Soirée (pronounced swă-rāy) is a French word meaning "a gathering of family and friends for the purpose of entertainment and fellowship." This new luxury lodge, completed in 1997, features a conference room, exercise room, pool table and a combination of queen and king size beds. Nestled in the foothills of the Swan Mountain range on a private 80-acre game/forest preserve, the view from each of the oversized rooms looks directly into the Swan Mountains.
WHITEFISH 59937	**The Crenshaw House** 5465 Hwy 93 S. 862-3496 or 800-453-2863 Fax: 862-7640	10	★			★	Kalispell 12 miles	★	✓✓✓ ✓✓✓✓	Luxurious ranch house nestled in acres to roam. Ideal place for small group meetings. Gourmet breakfasts, hot tub, fireplace, soft music, complimentary hors d'oeuvres & refreshments. Great restaurants, night-life, skiing, golf minutes away.
CUSTER COUNTRY										
BILLINGS 59101	**Pinehill Place** 4424 Pinehill Drive 252-0313 or 252-2288 Fax: 256-7586	12	★	★		★	Billings 7 miles		✓✓	Kitchen available. 26 x 32 open room with fireplace. Fifteen minutes from downtown. Fifteen minutes from airport.

Montana phone numbers use area code 406. ✓=under $40; ✓✓=$40-$60; ✓✓✓=$60-$80; ✓✓✓✓=more than $80.

Transportation indicates service to and from local airports. Activities mean recreation such as horseback riding or fishing.

CONVENTION SERVICES

A number of services are available to ensure your conventions and meetings run smoothly. Convention planners offer whatever level of assistance you need, or you can simply relax and *let them organize the entire project* from start to finish. Car rental companies provide special packages that make it easy for participants to travel on their own and see nearby attractions. Or you can charter a bus and have a special tour designed for your group. Rental agencies can provide additional furnishings or specialized equipment such as big-top tents, decorations, dance floors, tables and chairs, speaker systems and display stands. Just give us a call. *We're here to make your life easier.*

BELGRADE **59714**	**Montana Connections Vacation Planning, Inc.** 3400 Wildbunch Drive 388-6124 or 800-686-8687 Email: cmontana@montana.avicom.net Internet: www.avicom.net/cmontana	Offering specialized business and vacation planning in southwest Montana. We'll connect you with lodging and meeting facilities, activities and transportation to best suit the needs of your group or family.
BOZEMAN **59715**	**True North Retreat Co.** 1627 W. Main, Suite 151 388-7148 or 800-933-7148 Fax: 388-1540 Email: retreat@t-north.com; Internet: www.t-north.com	An independent retreat consulting firm specializing in designing, planning and managing retreats for executive and professional groups. Perfect for sales meetings, strategic planning sessions, board meetings, educational seminars, client entertainment and employee incentive travel.
	Yellowstone/Glacier Adventures, Inc. P.O. Box 165 (59771) 585-9041 or 800-484-1063 (access code 1013) Fax: 585-9041 Email: SeeMontana@aol.com Internet: www.gomontana.com/Business/YGA/yga.html	Year-round, full-service meeting, convention and vacation planning. Licensed to provide guide services in national parks and national forests. Hotel, transportation, activities, interpretive step-on-guide, interpretation, Japanese/English speaking services and more available. Winter ski adventures also available. Email and internet addresses.
HELENA **59601**	**Going West Tours** P.O. Box 913 (59624) 443-6133; Fax: 443-2716 Email: GWTOUR@juno.com	Contact us when planning pre- and post-convention tours, specialty events, spouse programs. Food and cultural experiences are our trademark.
	K & J Convention Decorators P.O. Box 5234 (59604) 442-3238; Fax: 458-3265	Specializing in all aspects of convention decorating — planning, drayage, furnishings, signs, lighting, sales and service and more. Portable display rentals and sales. Theme decorating for parties and banquets. Serving all of Montana.
KALISPELL **59901**	**Maitland Meeting Management** 3250 Foothill Road 755-8687; Fax: 755-8686	"Let our experience be your guide." We assist meeting planners with all facets of a conference from the design to the critique at the conclusion.
MISSOULA **59802**	**Adventure Connections of Montana** P.O. Box 8718 (59807) 549-5034; Fax: 549-2287 Email: actc@montanatravel Internet: www.montanatravel.com	Customized, four-season, Montana business conference or vacation planning and reservation services. We develop itineraries that make it easy to work and play in the Heart of the Rockies. Activities (national park tours, fly fishing, Nordic and alpine skiing, snowmobiling, wildlife photography and viewing); accommodations (lodges, bed and breakfasts, cabins, ranches, inns or condos); transportation (ground & air transportation reservations); conference & event planning.
	Montana Hospitality 2000 Missoula Avenue 549-6543; Fax: 549-9203	"Uniquely MONTANA events." Conference and small group specialists, we provide staff, coordination and resources. Transportation and special interest tours plus off-premise catering. Call to visit with a friend and local expert, MPI.
WEST YELLOWSTONE **59758**	**Grayline of Yellowstone** 633 Madison Avenue 646-9374 or 800-733-2304 or 800-523-3102 Fax: 646-7659; Email: clark@wtp.net	Tours to Yellowstone Park with expert guides. Can handle any size group and work around your convention schedule. Serving the Big Sky, West Yellowstone, Bozeman and Billings areas.

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